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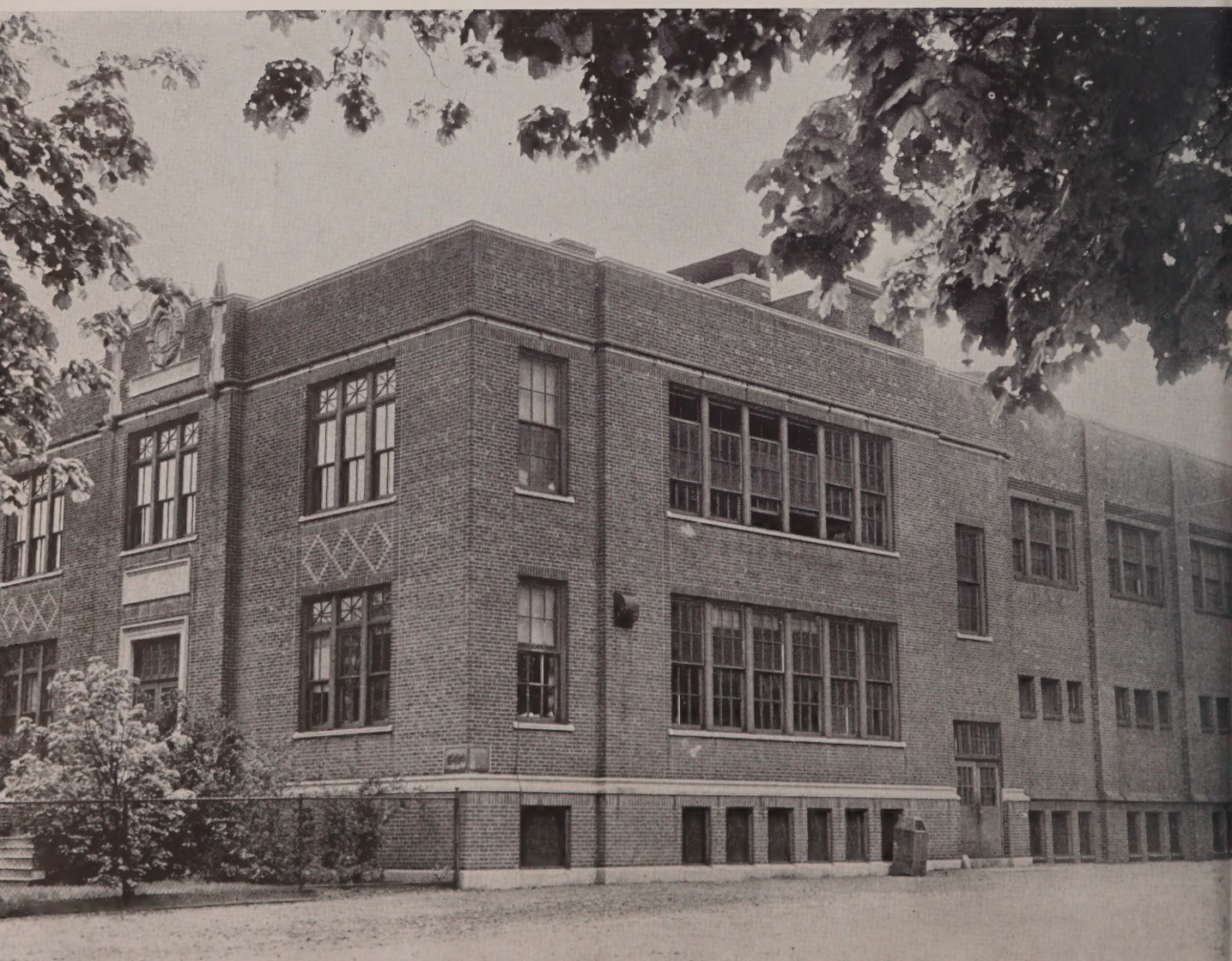

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Senior Class of

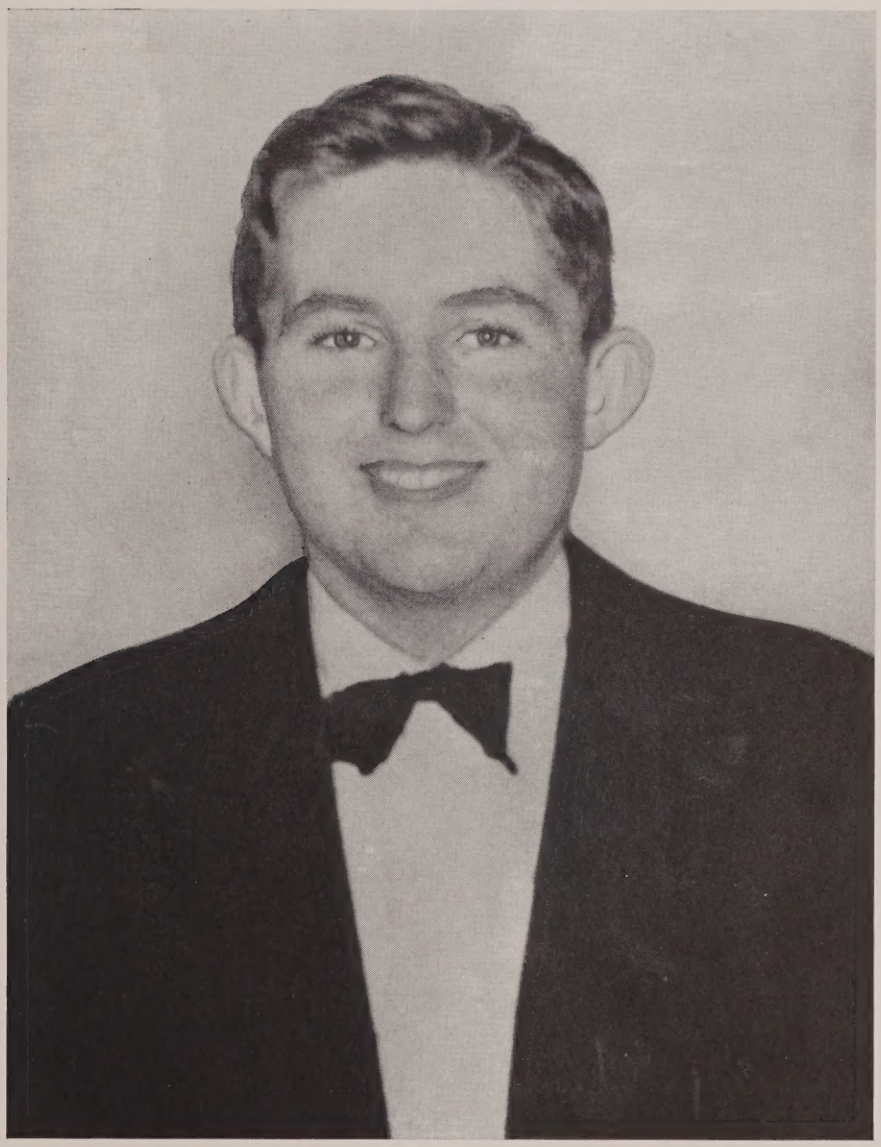
High School

Massachusetts

Dedication

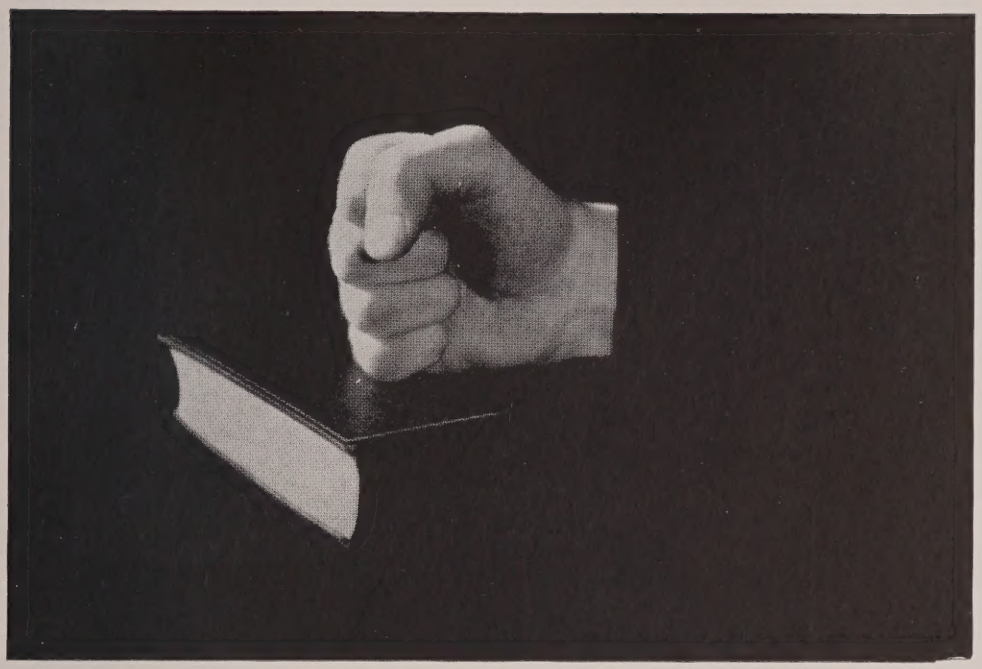
To the Memory of
John Hayes

WE DEDICATE THIS, OUR YEARBOOK, TO THE MEMORY OF JOHN HAYES, WHOM GOD CALLED FROM THIS LIFE MAY 3, 1951. WE WILL NEVER FORGET OUR FORMER CLASSMATE AND NOW OUR INTERCESSOR IN HEAVEN.



Foreword

AS OUR SCHOOL CAREERS AT ST. JOHN'S HIGH DRAW TO AN END, WE HAVE ATTEMPTED TO ASSEMBLE THE HIGHLIGHTS OF OUR SOJOURN HERE BETWEEN THE COVERS OF THE 1952 *PIONEER*. MAY IT PROVE TO BE A PERMANENT BOND AMONG US ALL — PRIESTS, FACULTY, COACH, AND THE MEMBERS OF THE CLASS. OUR PHYSICAL DEPARTURE FROM ST. JOHN'S, WE LIKE TO FEEL, IS NOT COMPLETE FOR WE LEAVE SOME PART OF OURSELVES HERE AND WE CARRY WITH US THE MEMORIES, THE ASSOCIATIONS AND THE TRAINING WHICH WILL ALWAYS, PLEASE GOD, REMAIN WITH US.



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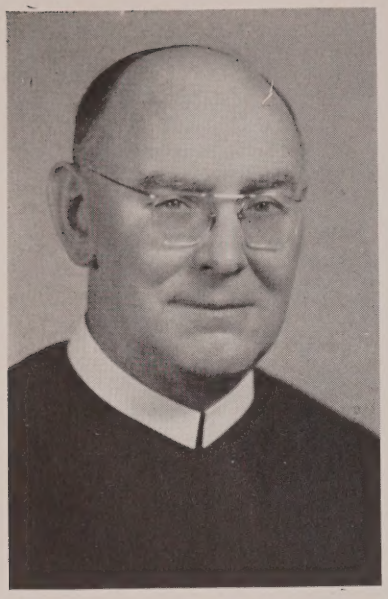
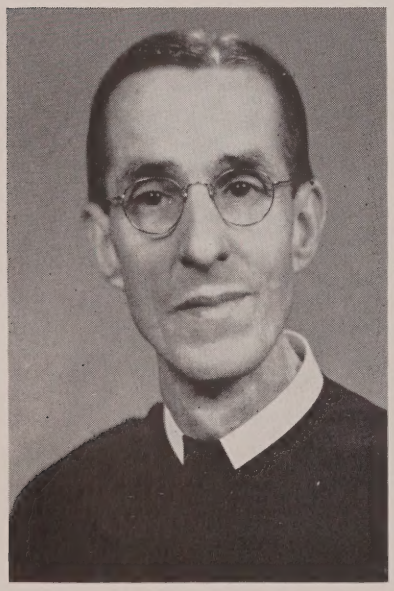


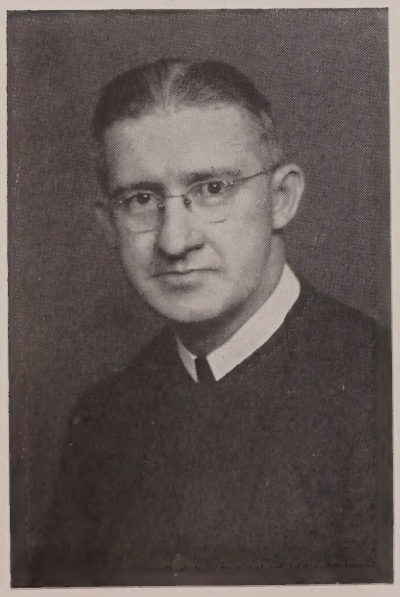
BRO. VINCENT
Principal

"JUG ! . . . INDEFINITE"



BRO. REGIS

"THE VOICE OF EXPERIENCE"



BRO. DENNIS JOSEPH

"RECESS IS OVER! . . . BOYS"

"CONTINUING WITH THE ELIZABETHAN PERIOD"

BRO. ELIAS

"DOCEO, DOCERE, DOCUI, DOCTUS"

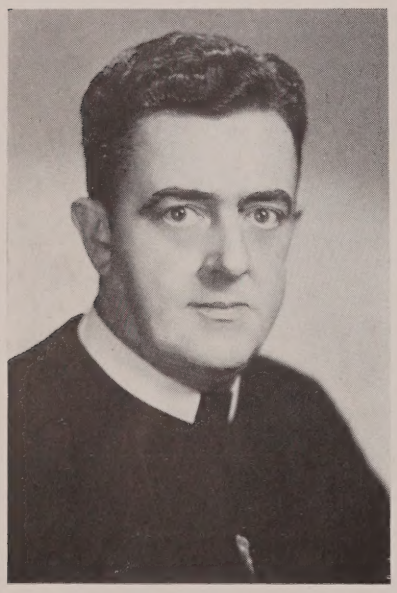
BRO. ANTHONY

"BY THAT I MEAN . . . "

BRO. ANDREW JOSEPH

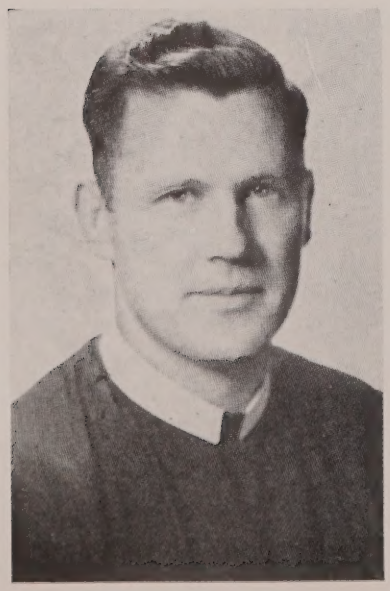
BRO. RICARDO

"YOU CAN DO IT . . ."

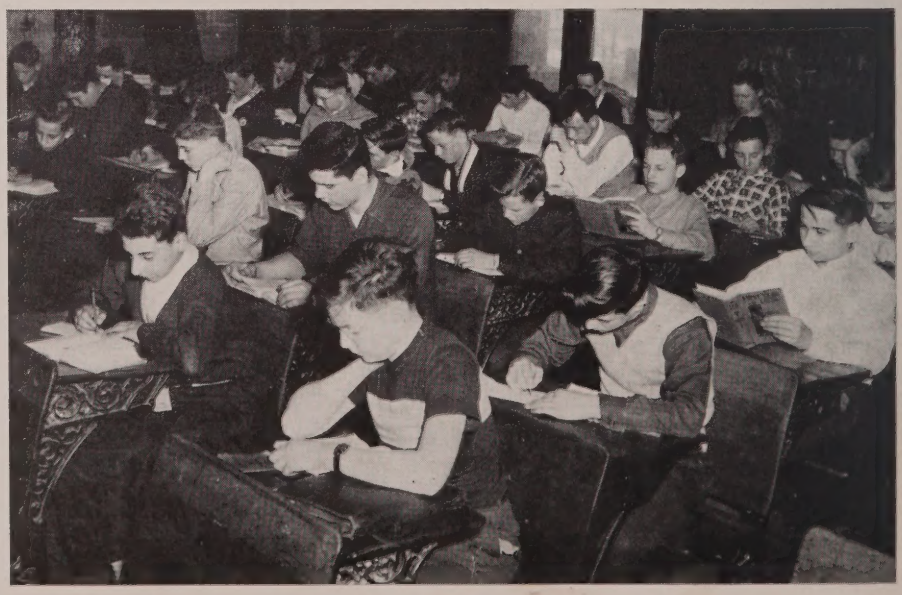


BRO. NORBERT

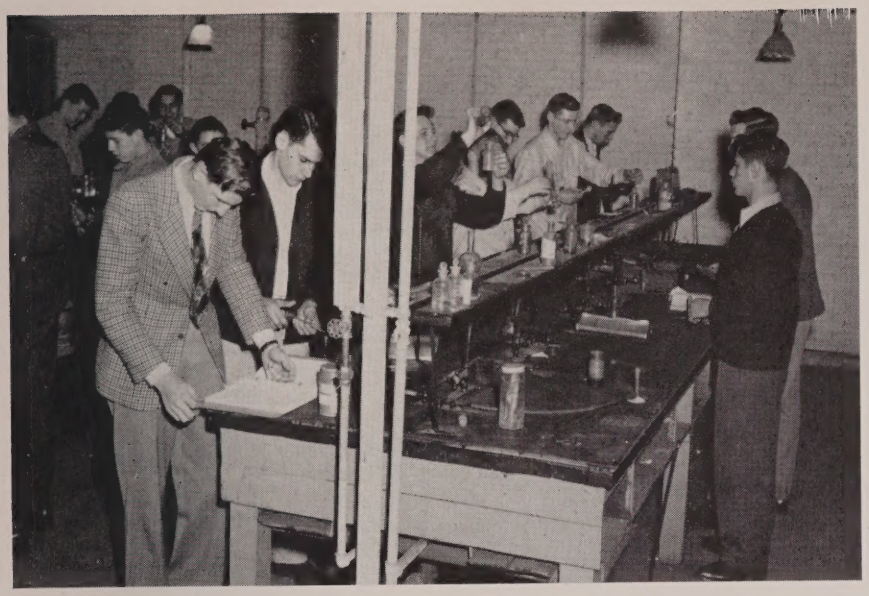
"MEA CULPA, MEA CULPA . . ."



BRO. ALFRED



"NOW BACK IN KENTUCKY . . ."



"USE DILUTE H2SO4 . . . "

BRO. BEDE

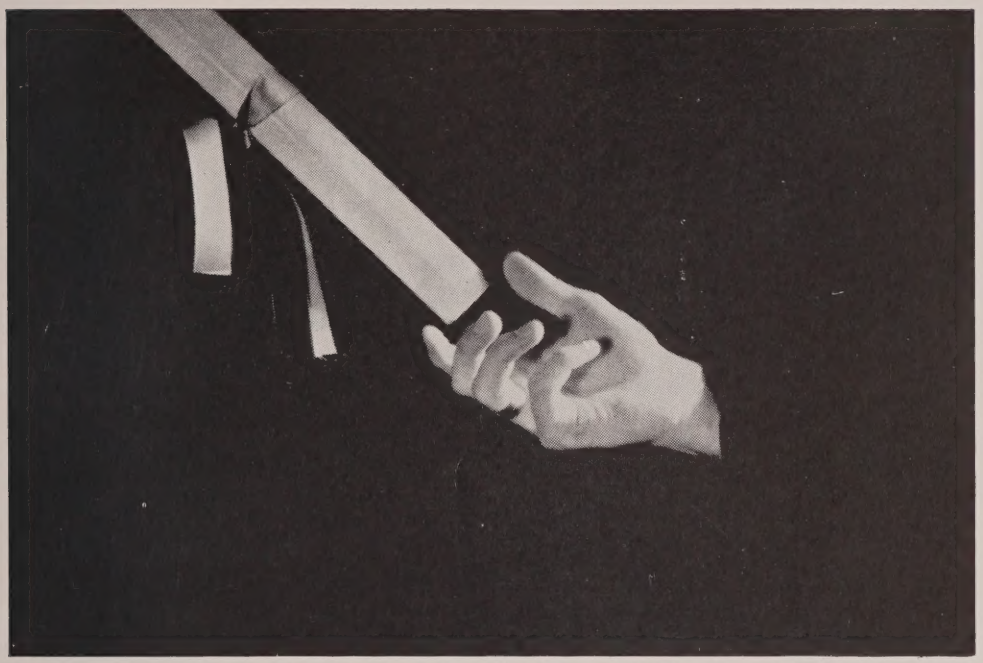
"QUEEN OF VICTORY, PRAY FOR US"

MR. DEVLIN
Coach

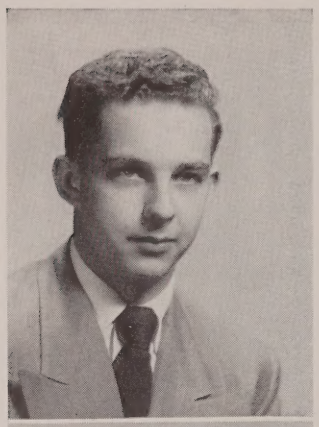
Thoughts on Leaving St. John's

Now's the time to take our leave;
Even though we *seem* to grieve,
We are glad of this reprieve;—
Only self do we deceive,
  As we say farewell to you.
During many years just passed
We were members in a cast;
Tho' the time has gone by fast,
Lessons learned, we know, will last—
  Happy days have not been few.
Long at last has come the day
When we think we're on our way
And we have our final say;
Now we'll see what past years pay—
  Whether present praise is due.
Soon, we'll know what teachers mean
When they tell us how to scheme
For a future that's supreme;—
Later, we'll attain that dream
  If to God we have been true.

—Juan De Witt



The Graduates

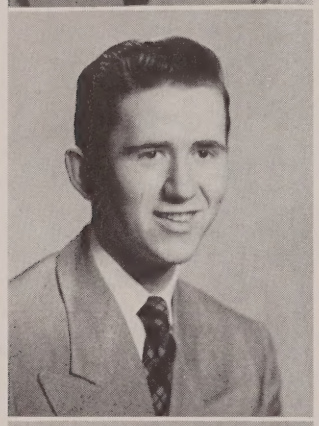


EDWARD BEAUCHAMP

"Beau"

"Beau" comes to us from the Main South section of the city near St. Peter's High School. Although his name has never been seen on the honor roll, his marks have been very near average for the four years that he has spent with us. He has not taken part in varsity athletics but instead he could be found at all of the Pioneer sport activities. He has always taken part in the intra-mural sports, and for three years was a member of the St. Paul's Parish League team.

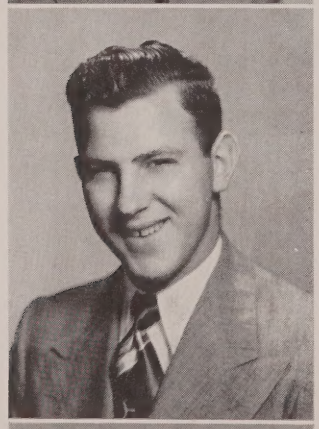
"Beau" hopes to enter Duquesne to further his education. At Duquesne he plans to take up journalism. We know he will succeed in this field and wish him the best of luck in doing so.



DONALD BELISLE

"Don"

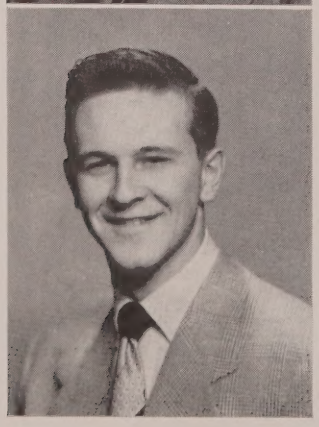
Coming from St. Anthony's Parish we have "Don," an ardent and faithful rooter for the Pioneers and a regular in attendance at all the basketball games. "Don" is quite a pool player as any of his victims will verify. His wonderful sense of humor will make him linger long in the memories of St. John's men. His plans for the future are uncertain but we of '52 wish him luck.



ARTHUR BELSITO

"Art"

A top all-around man of St. John's is "Art" Belsito. "Art" hails from the Massasoit Road section of town. "Art's" active in many things and could be seen around the school at almost any hour of the day. He was very active in all C.S.M.C. activities and was a football hero for two of the three years he was at S. J. Nobody will forget his gentlemanly character. His plans are still uncertain but we know he will have great success in the future.



ERNEST BOURGEOIS

"Ernie"

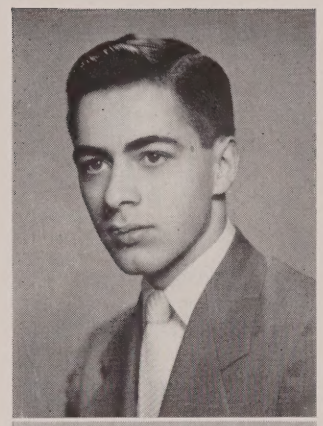
Ernest has been a four year man at St. John's. Due to the fact that he lives in far off Marlboro, he has not participated in any school sport activities but has been quite active in sports in and around Marlboro. "Ernie" has an active interest in weight-lifting and skiing and lists girls as his favorite subject. During the senior year his marks have been good and his genial wit has brightened up the classroom on many occasions. "Ernie" will have a good chance to show his hidden talents.

The class of '52 wishes Ernest the best of luck in anything he undertakes after graduation.

ROBERT BURON

"Bob"

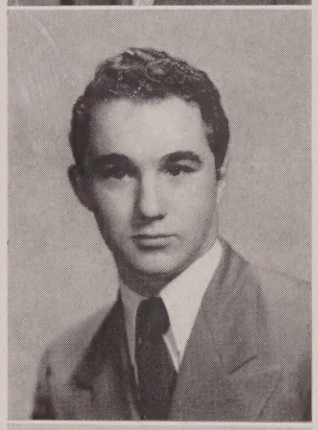
For the past four years "Bob" has made the daily trek from the wilds of Stafford Street and can best be described as the fiery defender of the Braves and a fervent St. John's supporter. He can be seen at most of the St. John's activities. "Bob" is a good student who is well liked by all those who come into contact with him. "Bob's" favorite subject is Chemistry. Although he has not participated in varsity competition at Saint John's his name has graced the rosters of many standout football and baseball clubs. He is a good dresser who delights in wearing flashy ties. "Bob" intends to further his education but is undecided where. Needless to say, we know "Bob" will be a success in whatever vocation he may choose.



ROBERT CABANA

"Rock"

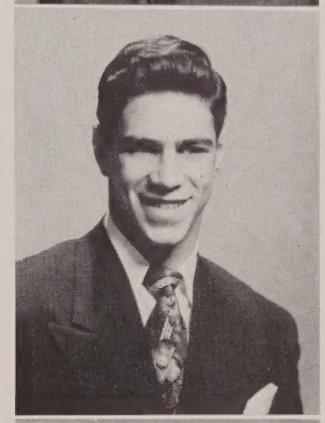
Confucius says, "Dynamite comes in small packages." After seeing Bobby Cabana in the Athletic arena, we say the same thing. The "Rock," although he weighs but one hundred and twenty pounds and measures but five feet five inches, played on all varsity teams in his final two years at St. John's. Bobby is quite proud to admit that he comes from the Grafton Hill sector of Worcester which he thinks is the abode of real men. As of now he has not definite plans but we are sure that he will be a success in any undertaking.



ROBERT CASE

"Rabbit"

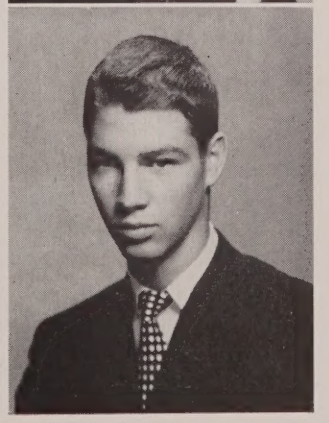
When anyone sees "Rabbit" running around the basketball floor he is able to understand why he is thus called. "Rabbit" has been a starter in basketball and baseball for two out of the three years he has been at St. John's. He is an average student in his scholastic work and is doubtful about his plans after graduation. We, the class of '52 wish him all the success possible.



JAMES CAWLEY

"Hook"

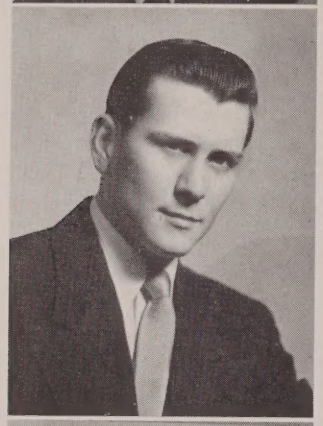
The Grand Dragon comes to St. John's every day from the Grafton Hill section of the city. "Hook" has become famous for his carefree manner, relating of his experiences and most of all for his valuable possession, the "Hookmobile." We are all sure that the road that lies ahead of the "Hook" will be very successful. Best of luck "Jim."



WILLIAM COFFEY

"Bill"

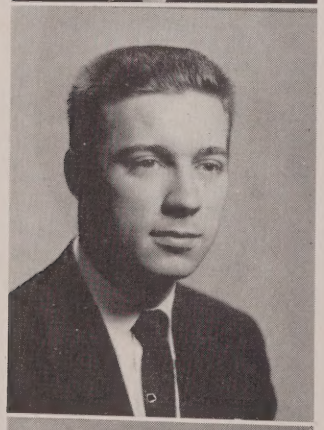
Coming to S.J. in his junior year "Bill" has been very active in all school activities. He was business manager of the *Red and White* and co-business manager of the *Pioneer*. After school he can be found working at Stevens' Sports' Wear. "Bill's" broad smile and friendliness to all made him very popular in school. He plans to attend college and we wish him success in later life.



WILLIAM F. COURTNEY

"Bill"

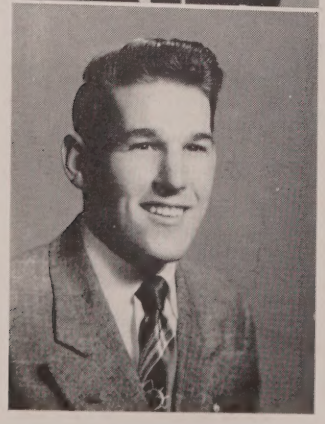
"Bill" hails from the South Worcester district of the city and for four years has been a prominent member of the class. As a sophomore he was a player on both the varsity football and J.V. basketball teams, but in his junior year he restricted himself to football alone. It was during this season that he turned in such a remarkable performance in the Chicopee game. He caught thirteen passes out of a possible fourteen. To "Bill," we wish all the possible success in the world.



JAMES P. COURVILLE

"Jimmy"

"Jimmy" is one of the many boys of Nobility Hill, who comes to Saint John's in quest of knowledge. During his stay at Saint John's he has been one of the more prominent members of the class. "Jimmy" was a three-sport man, whose all around ability and aggressiveness have won for him all-city honors in football, basketball, and baseball. At the Junior Promenade, of which he was co-chairman, he displayed to us that his ability to trip the light fantastic was no less wanting than his ability in athletics. No shrinking violet, he also captured the attention of all when he was a participant in three declamation contests. Need we say more?



PAUL CULLEN

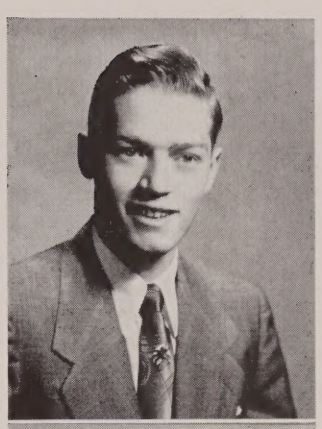
"Gus"

"Gus" is the fourth in line of five brothers to mount the stairs at St. John's. He has made many friends here by his fine personality and is well respected by all. "Gus," a hard worker, has been an honor student for four years. He was secretary of the C. S. M. C. in his senior year. "Gus" played varsity football in his junior year and was a fine defensive ballplayer. If this record is any hint for what the future will bring we know that "Gus" will be happy and successful at Holy Cross.

JOHN DOYLE

"Jack"

John is another of the out-of-town boys from Shrewsbury. "Jack's" hobby in which he shines is the Boy Scouts. "Jack" has been an honor student for the past four years. His extra-curricular activities have been limited due to the fact that he works after school. Yet he still found time to be in the play and to work on the *Red and White*. John plans to enter the Xaverian Brotherhood after leaving this hallowed hall of learning. So, John, "Pax Domini sit semper vobiscum."



WILLIAM DUNNE

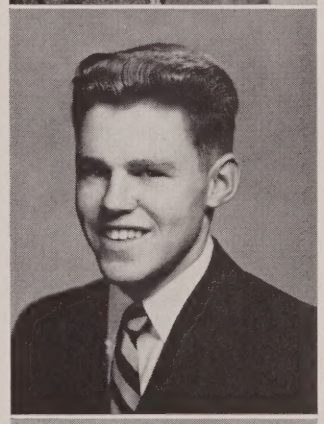
"Bill"

Vernon Hill's gift to us for the last four years has been "Bill" Dunne. "Bill's" name has graced the honor roll frequently. He earned quite a name for himself by playing for the Ascension Parish Team. He plans to enter Holy Cross and with him goes the best of luck from the class.

DAVID FLAHERTY

"Dave"

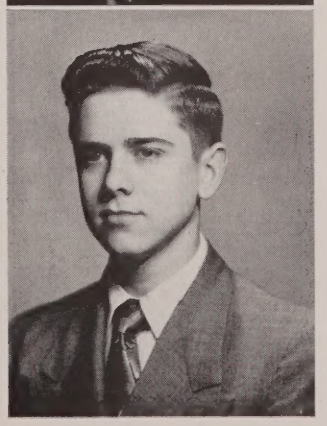
For four years "Dave" has come to us from the Lincoln Street area of Worcester. For his first three years he played basketball for St. John's, but in his senior year he starred for St. Bernard's in the Parish League. He was a good student and will enter Providence College in the fall. We know that whatever "Dave" undertakes will be a success, so to "Dave" we say good luck.

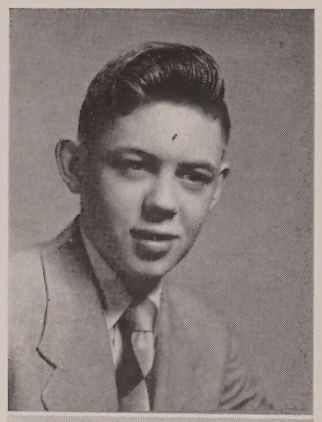


PHILIP GABREE

"Phil"

One of the best liked boys at school is "Phil" Gabree. Coming each morning from N. Grafton he was a consistent honor student and a reporter for the *Red and White*. Besides being a hard worker at school, "Phil" can be found at Whelan's Drug Store. "Phil" plans to enter the Brotherhood after leaving S.J. and we wish him luck.

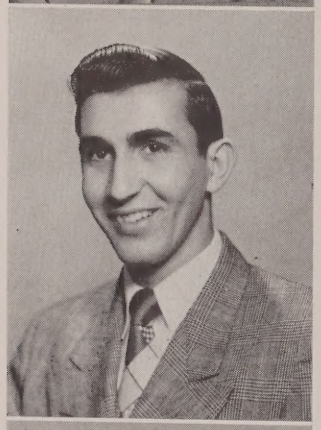




ROBERT GALLAGHER

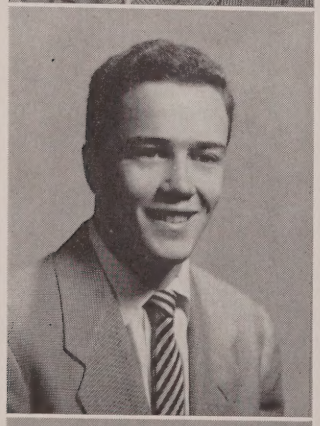
"Bobby"

Another boy from St. Bernard's Parish, "Bob" was a frequent honor student. Though he did not play sports he was manager for two years. "Bob's" jokes and witty remarks often gave all a laugh during the school day. He plans to enter Fairfield U. next term and our good wishes go with him.



ROLAND GRAVEL

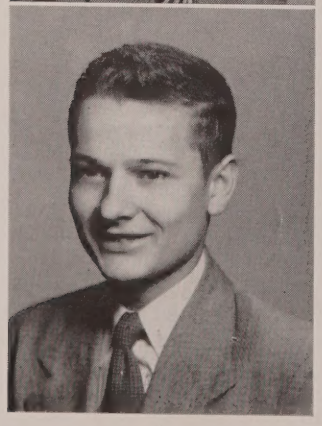
Entering S.J. in his junior year, Roland was Millbury's representative. He has been on the honor roll for two years. His friendliness and personality were very welcome at St. John's. He was an ardent rooter for the teams. Roland plans to enter the University of Massachusetts. We know he will be a success, and we wish him a lot of it.



GLENNON R. GRIFFIN

"Glen"

"Glen's" winning personality has proved to be a great asset to him throughout the four years that he has come to St. John's. He displayed his athletic ability as a member of the varsity football team during his sophomore and junior years. However, in his senior year he thought it wiser to devote his spare time to a part time job rather than football. He is an above average student who thrives on the classics. This serious boy, whose curly hair has been both his pride and the pride of St. John's, receives all wishes of success from the class.



RICHARD HACKETT

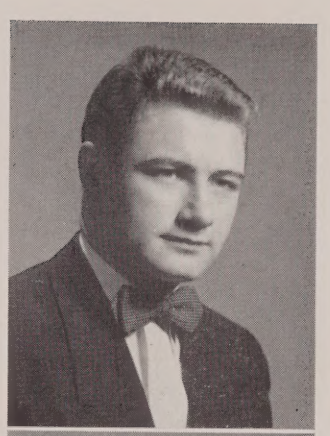
"Dick"

A resident of Our Lady of the Angels Parish and a four year man at St. John's "Dick" was a frequent honor roll student. In his after school hours he was a basketball enthusiast and a drug store clerk. "Dick's" personality made him popular with everybody. He plans to attend The New England School of Pharmacy. All of '52 are sure "Dick" will be a success and we all wish him the best of luck.

JOHN J. HALLORAN

"Jack"

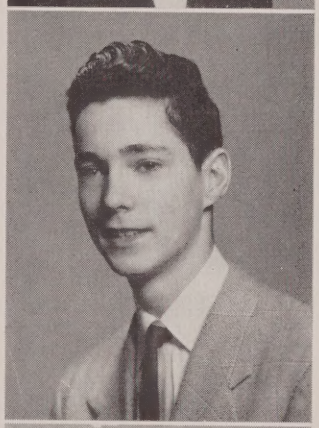
"Jack" is one of those boys who need no introduction to the sport fans of St. John's. He played four years on the football team and his great competitive spirit and drive earned him a place on the Cathedral All-Opponent Team. "Jack" also showed his athletic ability by starring in Parish League basketball for the Sacred Heart five. "Jack" was President of his Sophomore class. Although he is not the bookish type, he has done moderately well in his pursuits during his four years at S.J. "Jack" plans to enter either Holy Cross or State Teachers', and we here at St. John's wish him all the luck in the world.



ALLAN HENDERSON

"Al"

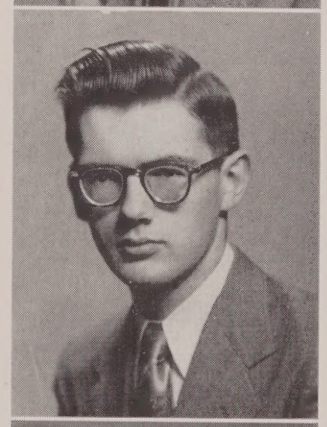
"Al" comes from South Worcester and has graced Saint John's with his wonderful personality for four years. Due to working hours after school "Al" hasn't had much time for sports but he has more than made up for it by his high marks. Allan has especially adapted himself to history and algebra and he plans to use his knowledge to the utmost in college. If his work here at S. J. is a forerunner of his later work, we know that he will be successful.



JAMES HICKEY

"Jim"

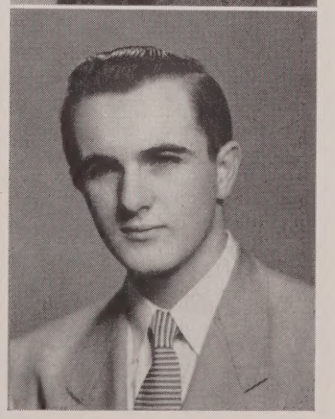
"Jim" came to St. John's in his sophomore year from St. Peter's. He has been an ardent follower of the teams even though hailing from the St. Peter's badlands. "Jim" has thoughts of engineering in the mining field. We of St. John's hope to see him through with all the success possible.

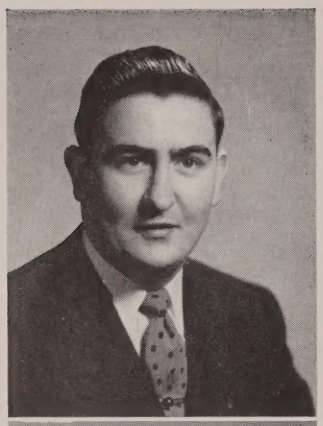


ROBERT HOEY

"Gov"

The Heights of Greendale have given us a true St. John's man in "Bobby" Hoey, more popularly known as "The Governor." He played no varsity sports because he found it more practical to work in his spare time. He played basketball for Denholm's under the name and number of Rocket "88". He is now working as an apprentice butcher in a neighborhood Super Market. To this enthusiastic Chemistry scholar and ardent S.J. rooter, we wish every success.

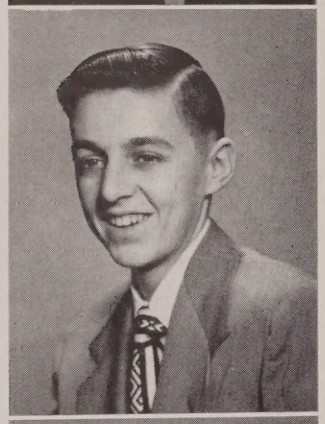




WILLIAM IADISERNIA

"Bill"

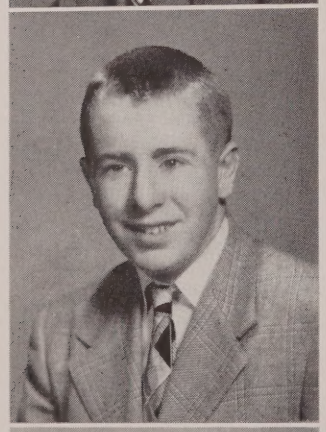
"Bill" hails from the wilderness of Palmer and Brookfield. He can be seen every morning driving his old '40 Chevrolet to school. He is very popular among the students and the faculty. "Bill" was vice-president of his class for two years. Everyone will remember him for his great ability for running around with a notice every last period. His quick wit and fine sense of humor will long be remembered. At the present, his plans are uncertain but whatever they may be, it is certain that he will be successful.



WILLIAM E. JACKMAN

"Jack"

Let's begin with "Jack" during his freshman year wherein he was surprising everybody with his basketball agility as a player on the frosh team, and winning the friendship of everybody as a student of 1A. The whole class has reason to believe that this Whitinsville boy has a photographic memory for he is able to tell you anything that has been placed on the sports page over the last five years. "Jack," a whiz in the sciences, will further his education at Notre Dame next fall.



PAUL F. JACKSON

"PeePee" — "Paul"

Every class has a short, amenable, round little man who is not only the object of many jokes of his classmates, but also the object of mutual friendship. Paul is the boy of our class. He has not been too active in extra-curricular activities because he has always worked after school. Nevertheless, he has made his mark as a student, being so interested in History that he is often seen discussing present world conditions with Brother Regis. All will remember "PeePee" for his vigorous attempts at cheering for the team at all the games.

ROBERT JOHNSON

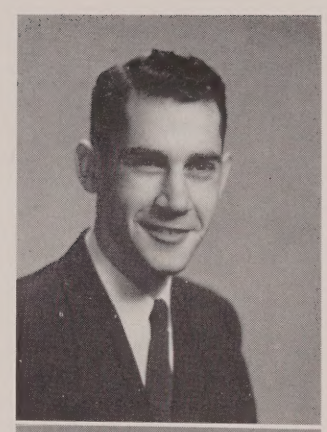
"Bob"

"Bob" came to us from the Grafton Hill section of town. Coming to St. John's in his freshman year he was a good student and appeared on the honor roll frequently. Being a great backer of St. John's sports "Bob" was seen at every competitive game whether it was football, basketball or baseball. He rarely took a bus to school but preferred to walk, and it is quite a walk especially in inclement weather. "Bob" was popular among his many classmates and always had a friendly smile for everyone. All are sincere in wishing "Bob" the best of luck in the future.

ROBERT E. JOLLY

"Bob"

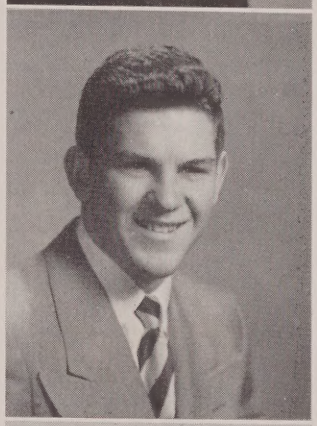
"Bob" is one of those quiet, unassuming boys that you cannot help taking a liking to. His curly hair and impeccable attire have melted the heart of more than one "femme." A product of Blessed Sacrament Parish and grammar school, he played freshman basketball, showing potential varsity ability. However, the will to work forced "Bob" to abandon his athletic pursuits. He is a good student who found no trouble passing all his grades. Whatever he does in the future, we know he will succeed.



WILLIAM KASPER

"Stubbs"

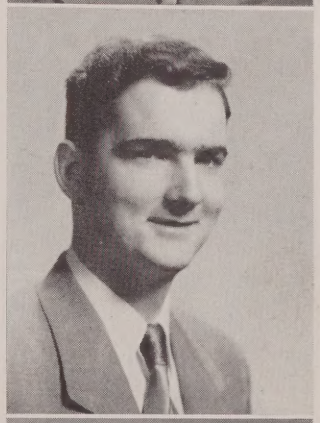
"Stubbs" came to us from St. Stephen's in his sophomore year and has really made his presence felt. "Bill" is a three sport athlete being picked for four All-City Teams. He was also the State's highest football scorer last year, and he received his biggest thrill when he was chosen on the National High School All-American Team. "Stubbs" is an average student and we at St. John's feel sure he will succeed.



FRANCIS KELLY

"Fran"

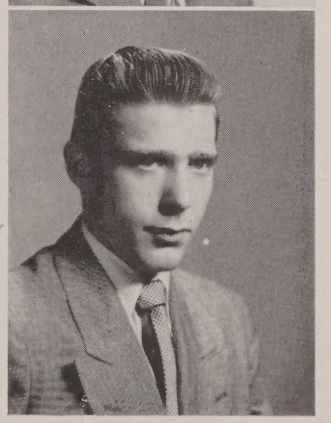
Residing in St. Stephen's Parish, "Fran" Kelly was one of the quieter boys of the class. During his high school career "Fran" was a loyal supporter at all of St. John's sports events as well as all other school activities. "Fran" was on the *Red and White* staff. being the news editor in his senior year. Always on the honor roll "Fran" found time to work afternoons at the Public Library besides obtaining high scholastic ratings.

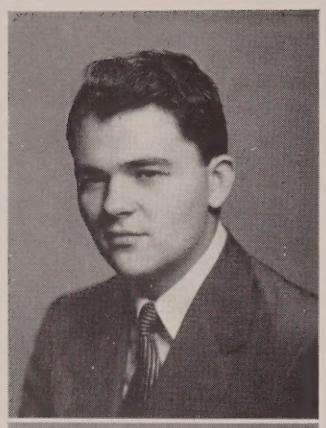


ROBERT KENNEWAY

"Bob"

"Bob" entered St. John's High after completing his grammar school education at Ascension and Saint John's. He hails from the Vernon Hill section of the city. "Bob" gained quite a name for himself while playing for the Ascension basketball team in the Parish League. From his first day at school till his last he has always kept the class in humor with his laughable antics. We want to wish him luck in the future.

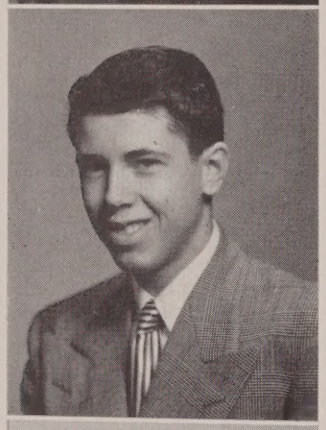




GEORGE KERLEJZA

"George"

One of the quietest boys of the senior class, George came to us from the West Side. His name appeared frequently on the honor roll and he was well liked by all of the senior class. George's plans are uncertain for the future but we know that he will be a success in anything he may undertake. Nevertheless, we all wish George the best of luck.



ARTHUR LAVALLEE

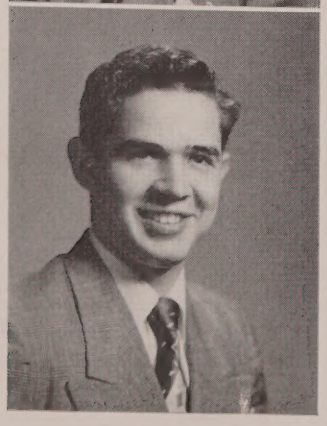
"Art"

Another quiet boy of the senior class was "Art" Lavallee. Coming to us from suburban North Grafton for four years, "Art" was well liked by all of the senior class. His future is not yet known but St. John's wishes him the best of luck and lots of success.

HENRY LEDOUX

"Hank"

Marlboro sent another one of its faithful sons to St. John's in the person of Henry Ledoux. Always cheerful and good-natured "Hank" was a hard worker, being frequently on the honor roll. Although he did not play sports for the school his favorites are hockey and baseball. "Hank" is undecided about any further education but we wish him luck in any undertaking.



ARCHILLE LEFEBVRE

"Archie"

Have you ever heard of Sterling Junction? You probably have not, because it is such a small town. But far different from the size of the town is the size of its inhabitants. For instance, our class boasts a two hundred pound, sturdily built lad, "Archie" Lefebvre, who has completed quite a record at S.J. He played varsity football for three years, all-city in his last year, and was a consistent honor-roll student.

HERVEY LEMAY

"Herv"

From the Grafton Hill section of town Hervey's big broad smile was very welcome at St. John's. He played in the intramural sports, but work in a drug store and the trucking business prevented Hervey from developing his athletic talents. Hervey intends to enter a school of pharmacy eventually after a career in the military service. We all wish Hervey the best of luck with his future plans.

WILLIAM LYNCH

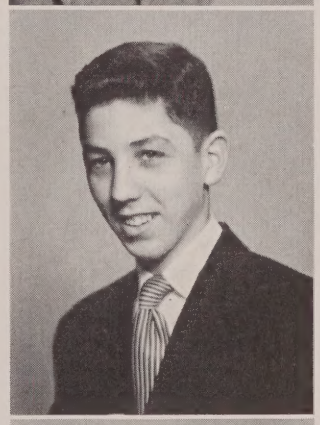
"Lefty"

From the Plantation Street section of town, "Lefty" Lynch came to St. John's. Besides being a football star for three years "Bill" often made the honor roll. Having a sense of humor and being a great sport made him one of the best liked and most popular boys in the class. His plans for the future are still uncertain but we all wish him the best of luck and we know he will succeed in anything he may undertake.

GEORGE MADAUS

"George"

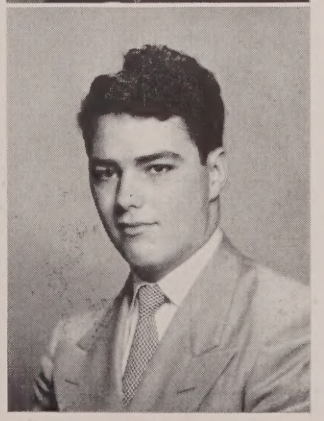
Green Hill's gift to St. John's was George Madaus. As editor of the *Red and White* George did very well. He continued his good work as co-editor of the *Pioneer*. Very often his name appeared on the honor roll. George's friendliness to all, great personality and sense of humor made him very well liked by all at St. John's. He plans to enter Holy Cross next year and we all know he will be a great success.

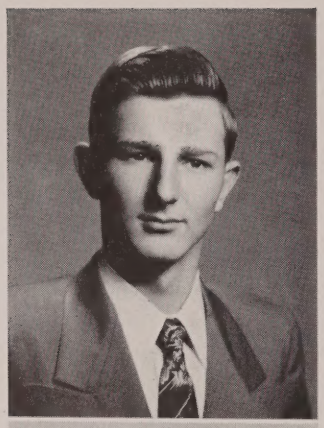


THOMAS MALLOY

"Tom"

"Tom" hails from the Lincoln Street area and for the past four years has earned the esteem of his classmates with his ready wit and unfailing assistance. Subjects generally offer little trouble to "Tom" who was constantly on the honor roll. The last two seasons found Tom an active member of the football eleven and an ardent rooter of the St. John's five. Despite school and sports, "Tom" found time to take an active part in the Catholic Students' Mission Crusade and to be a staff member of the yearbook. "Tom" has intentions of entering Holy Cross next September to major in math. Whatever "Tom" may do we all wish him the best of luck in the future.

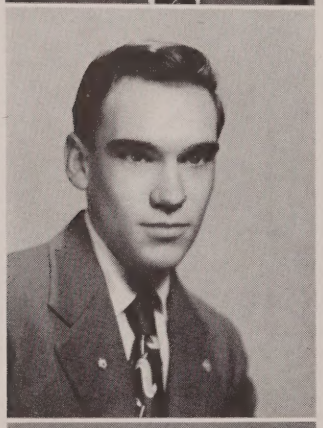




DENIS MANYAK

"Chico"

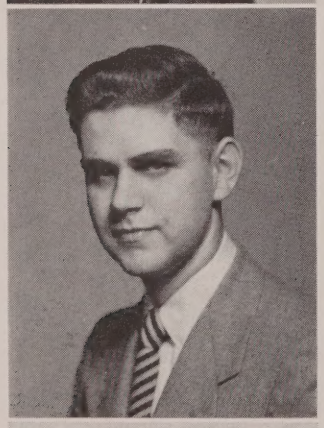
Coming to St. John's in his junior year from East Douglas, "Chico's" name appeared frequently on the honor roll. He played in the intramurals but preferred football as his favorite sport. "Chico" was well known for his work in Chemistry. His cheerfulness and good humor will always be remembered by the senior class. "Chico" is undecided where he will further his education but he is interested in the field of medicine. We are sure he will be a success whatever he does and we all wish him the best of luck in the future.



RONALD MAPLE

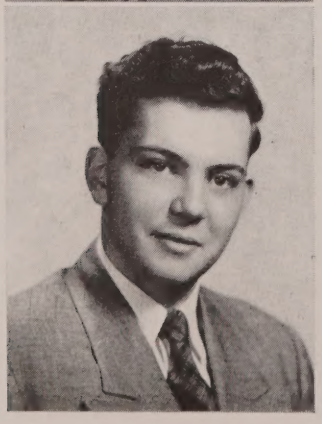
"Ron"

"Ron" is a product of St. Joseph's parish and Grafton Hill. He is the quiet type and never has much to say but is still very friendly and easy to get along with. Despite the fact that he is small, "Ron" is a better than average student, having had his name on the honor roll very often. "Ron" always has a smile on his face for he never has anything to be sad about. Although a hard worker as proved by his high marks, he never played varsity athletics but did play in the intramurals for three years. He can also be seen playing basketball a few nights a week. His future is uncertain but we know that whatever he may do he will succeed.



MARSHALL MARTIN

Marshall is one of those boys from St. Paul's, who trudge down Pleasant Street every day. He has been active in many extra-curricular activities. Marshall was among other things, managing editor of the *Red and White* and was also on the *Pioneer* staff. He also was a frequent honor roll student. We all wish Marshall the best of luck at whatever he may do, for we're sure that he will be a success in any endeavor.



WILLIAM MARTIN

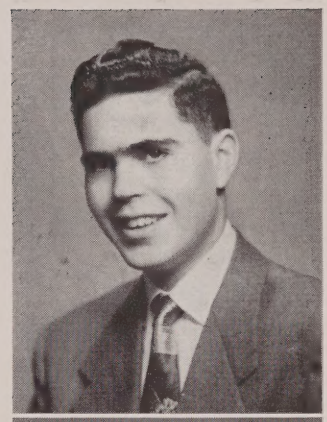
"Bill"

About one of the busiest lads at St. John's is "Bill" Martin. Being active in Declamation, he has carried St. John's to the finals of the Bishop Wright Declamation Contest for two consecutive years. He has been a Feature Editor on the *Red and White*, has taken leading parts in many school plays, among which were "Spring Green" and "Here Comes Charlie." "Bill" holds down a job afternoons after classes and is an altar-boy and assistant organist at St. Anne's Church in Shrewsbury. Also he was a consistent honor roll student. Whatever "Bill" may do in the future, we are sure that he will hit his mark and all we say is "Best of Luck to a swell guy".

DANIEL F. McAULIFFE

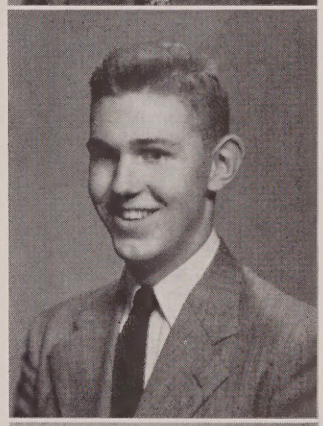
"Dan"

"Dan" hails from the Main South part of the city and each morning can be seen driving into the school yard in his "34" Plymouth coupe. "Dan" took his freshman training at South High and then transferred to the home of the "Pioneers." "Dan" is another boy who is musically inclined. He plays the saxophone with Tom Sheahan's outfit. The two boys who are cousins can be seen together almost constantly. He has won prizes in the school shows and displays signs of a great future. We wish him the best of luck in whatever he does.



HUGH McCANN

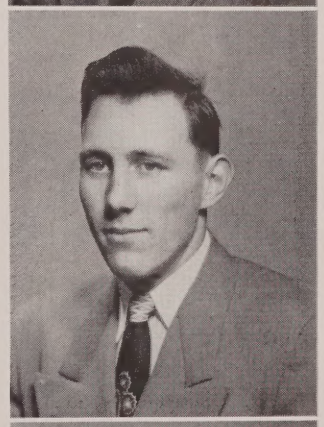
For the past four years Hugh has been coming from the town of Southboro to S.J. Entering as a freshman from St. Michael's School in Hudson he has truly become a Temple Streeter. Though Hugh was quiet he was friendly to everyone. After school he is kept busy as janitor of St. Anne's Church in Southboro, keeping all the property in very good condition. Hugh intends to go to Holy Cross in the Fall and all S.J. wishes him success.



DANIEL McCARTHY

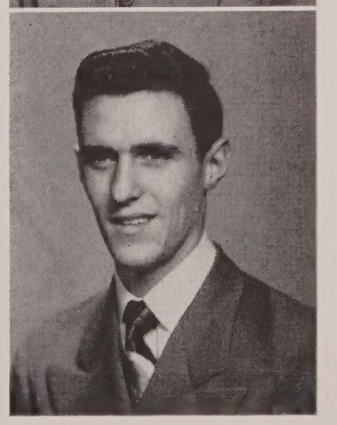
"Deacon Dan"

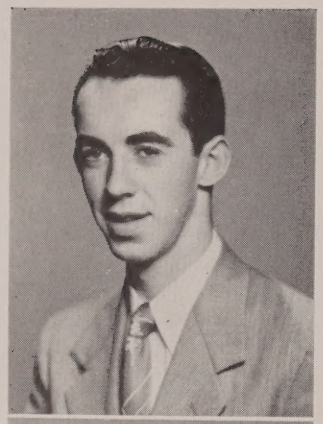
The most popular boy at S.J. is "Dan" McCarthy. An all-around athlete for four years, being co-captain of all three sports and President of all his classes. He has also made nine All-Star Teams. He has plans of entering West Point and we wish him all the luck he may need. Quite a guy is this kid. Our hats off to "Dan" McCarthy.



JAMES McDERMOTT

James is one of the quieter boys of the class but also one of the best-liked. He is a very good student who excels particularly well in biology and history. James has been a faithful rooter at all school athletic events. He probably would have been a varsity player if he had not been too small. James is a member of the Vernon Hill regions and Ascension parish. Best of luck, James.

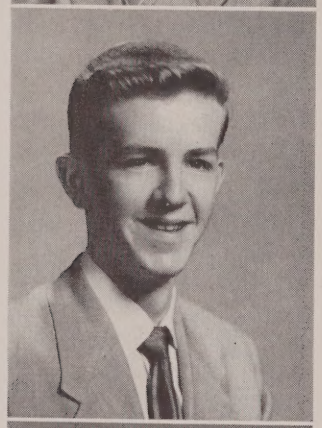




THOMAS McGILLICUDDY

"Timmy"

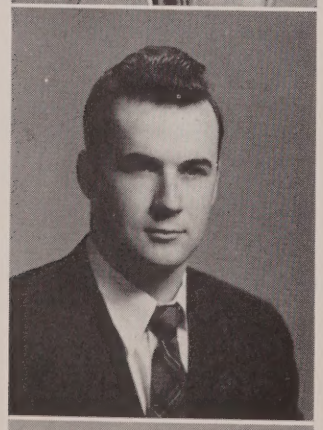
Let's begin with "McGill's" freshman year wherein he was a starring member of the freshman basketball and baseball teams. It was during this year that "Timmy" displayed his popularity and he has occupied the vice-presidency of his class for the ensuing three years. Although he is rather reticent in class, he showed enough speaking ability to be a finalist in the declamation contest in his sophomore year. No doubt he could have made his mark as a varsity athlete had he wished to do so, but he deemed a part-time job after school more important. All the while, "Timmy" has been a consistent member of the Honor Roll. Quite a record. Quite a man.



RICHARD McGINNIS

"Mac"

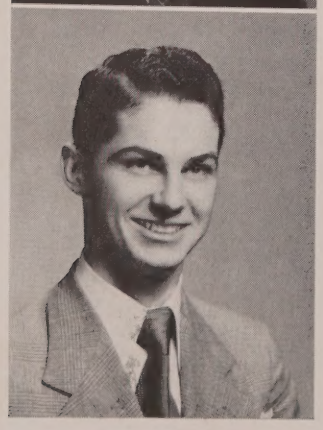
"Mac" hails from the Lincoln Street section of the City as do so many others here at S.J. He seems to conquer his studies with comparative ease. "Mac" could be seen attending every sport function, if working hours permitted, for four years. "McGinn" has established himself as a "wit" among his fellow classmen as his timely quips have raised the spirit of the class when it was most needed. "Mac" is an aggressive worker and this trait is bound to make him a success in the future.



JOHN McLAUGHLIN

"Mac"

John is one of the more industrious members of the senior class. A proof of this is the fact that he progressed from an ordinarv part-time worker in a grocery store to the position of assistant butcher. Because of his job, "Jack" has had little time these last two years for extra-curricular endeavors, but in his freshman and sophomore years he did play varsity football. His handsome face has made him as well-liked by the girls as has his likeable personality with the boys. Best of luck "Mac".



JOHN MONAHAN

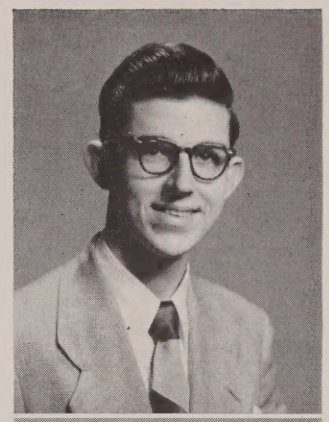
"Jack"

"Jack" has been at Saint John's longer than most of us, not because he did not pass his subjects, but because he attended St. John's Grammar School. "Jack" is the kind of boy that can be depended upon, and Brother Vincent, realizing this, assigned to him the task of collecting slips and recording all absences. We know his winning personality, along with all his other good points, will help John up the ladder of success.

WILLIAM MONAHAN

"Ziggy" — "Bill"

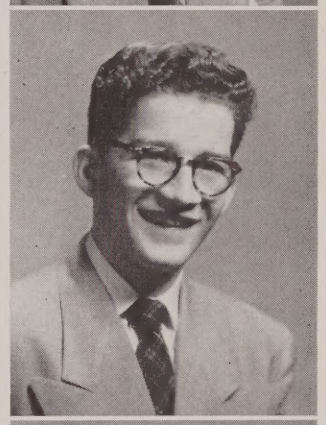
"Ziggy" comes from the section of the city called "Nobility Hill" or better known as Vernon Hill. He is a "true blue" Saint John's man, having started school here in the pre-primary, which means that he is completing his thirteenth year at Saint John's. "Bill" has been prominent in all school functions, having often been found at school dances and sport contests, constantly rooting for the teams and lending his charming personality at the social functions. We feel that "Zig" will succeed in whatever he does because of his aggressiveness and his winning personality.



EDWARD MORRISSEY

"Eddy"

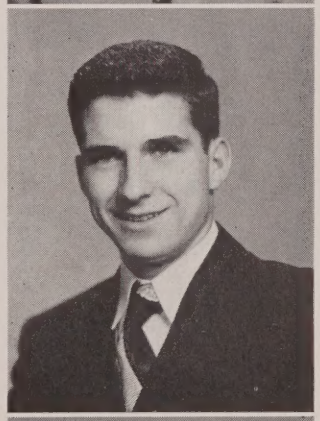
"Eddy" hails from the Belmont street section of town and is quite well known around those parts. He abandoned all athletic aspirations in his freshman year in favor of working after school. Because of his job he was not too active in extra-curricular activities but he proved himself to be a tenacious student. Ed particularly is a whiz in history and current events. Whatever he does, we are certain that this walking World Almanac will be a great success.



JOHN MOYNIHAN

"Moyn"

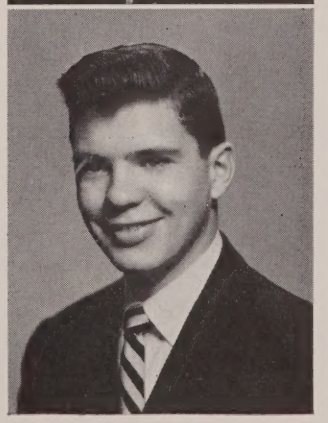
Here we have one of the nicest boys at S.J. in "Moyn." He played basketball for two years with the varsity. He was President of the Junior Class, but he tops all this with a position on the Year Book Staff. Quite a man.

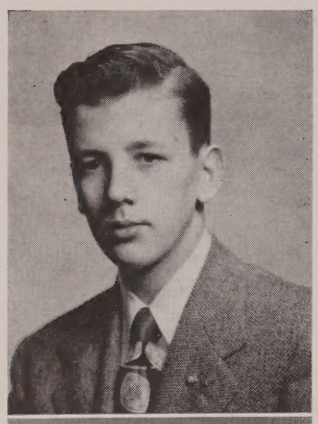


MICHAEL J. MOYNIHAN

"Mike"

We first met "Mike" in his freshman year wherein he busied himself as manager of the three varsity school sports and as a member of the freshman basketball team. It was during this year that he was Vice-President of his class. In his sophomore year he saw the end of his football-playing aspiration when he broke his arm in an early season scrimmage. However, he then turned his activities towards the finer arts and began his acting career. "Mike" has won the friendship of all his classmates with his friendly quips and his popular laugh. All the while, the Co-editor of this year's Yearbook has invariably been found on the First-Honor Roll.

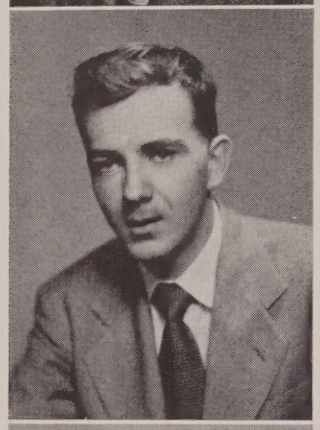




KEVIN MULLEN

"Kev"

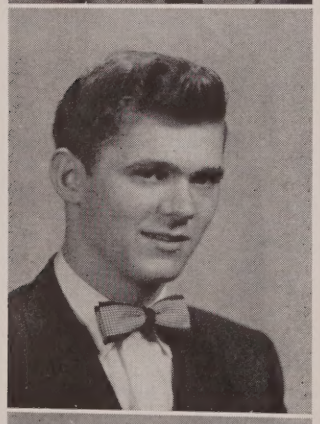
A quiet yet popular student Kevin came to us in our sophomore year as a transfer student. Making the long trip in each day from Framingham doesn't bother Kevin as it gives him the honor of coming the farthest each day. A good dresser, Kevin owns a good personality and excellent humor. "Kevin" is fond of math and extremely interested in the solid geometry class. Kevin hopes to enter Holy Cross in the Fall and is sure that when it comes time to graduate from college he will have set a record for traveling for an education.



JAMES MURPHY

"Murph"

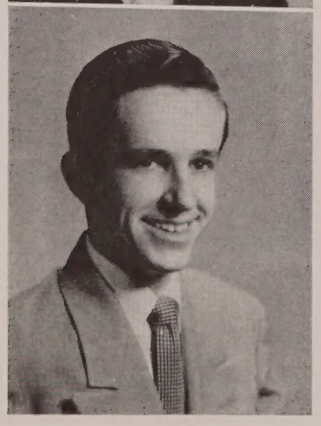
Providence Street has made its contribution to the scientists of our class by giving us "Murph." He is a wonder when it comes to Television and hopes to make it his life work. He has acquired valuable experience in this business during the last four years with his work after school. We are glad to see that "Murph" is leaving good old S. J. in the same condition in which he found it for there were many times down in the chemistry lab. when we thought that alterations would be necessary due to Murph's experiments.



HENRY NAVENTI

"Jack"

"Jack" is from way out of town and county. He lives in Lee, Mass., but is now residing in Northboro, while finishing at S.J. "Jack is only a two-year man here, transferring from Lee High School. He was very active in school activities. He copped his first prize in his third year and took second prize this year in the Annual Talent Show. "Jack" plans to go to Colgate in the fall.



LAWRENCE NUGENT

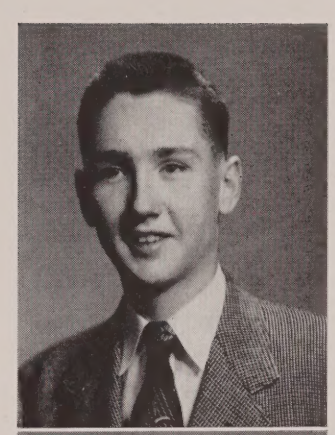
"Larry"

"Larry" has been quite a busy boy during his four years at St. John's. He was on the Senior Prom Committee and the *Pioneer* staff. One of the more ardent rooters of the athletic teams, he followed the teams to all the out-of-town games in his fifty Ford, which also carried him to and from school each day. "Larry," who was well known for his impeccable attire, was an honor student and plans to attend Mass. State next year. Best of luck, "Larry".

DAVID O'BRIEN

"Dave"

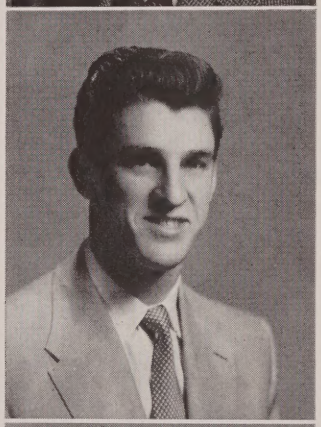
An affable, quiet, industrious young man is our "Dave" who came to us last year from St. Mary's in Southbridge. The ride up every morning doesn't worry "Dave" for he is always one of the early arrivals. "Dave" has had great success in all his classes especially history. Good school spirit, pleasing personality and the will to help others is the formula of Dave's success. Plans are indefinite for the future but he hopes to follow his brother's footsteps at Holy Cross.



RONALD O'BRIEN

"Obie"

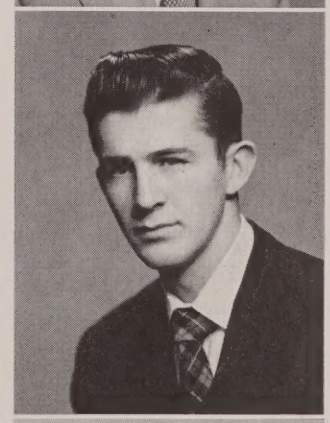
"Ronnie" followed his brother's footsteps in graduating from S.J. He has also lived up to every honor left by him. "Ron" hurt his knee during the football season, but returned to school, made up his work, and went to art school. Quite a Pioneer.



FRANCIS O'LEARY

"Binnie"

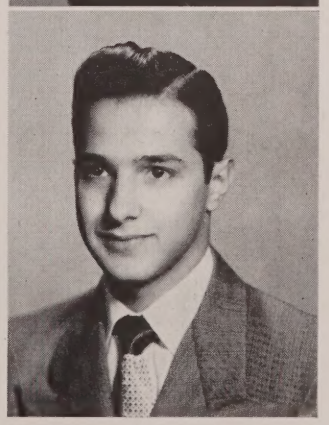
A gift to the women, "Binnie" O'Leary trudges to us each day from the heights of Vernon Hill. This has been a daily ritual for the past five years but the school has been mighty proud of him and fortunate that he wished to remain here so long. "Binnie" has been a member of the basketball team for three yars. He has taken part in many tournaments each year and has played his best under pressure. "Binnie" was also an end on the football team in his senior year and is popular with his classmates. His plans for the future are indefinite. We know he will succeed in whatever he does. Hail to one of Worcester's most underrated athletes.

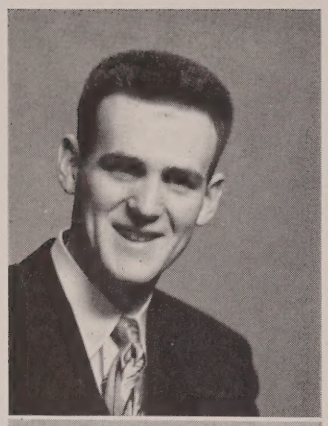


ANTHONY PACIELLO

"Buddy"

"Buddy" is the organizer of our class. Capable of making a success of any undertaking, he has been chairman of both the Senior Hop and Senior Prom. He was also the President of this year's C.S.M.C. These accomplishments alone give you a correct impression of his versatility but this quiet, unassuming gentleman from Grafton Hill was prominent in other activities also. In the classroom he was so proficient that he was awarded the honor of Class Valedictorian. In the field of sports, he was a varsity pitcher for three years. Need more be said?

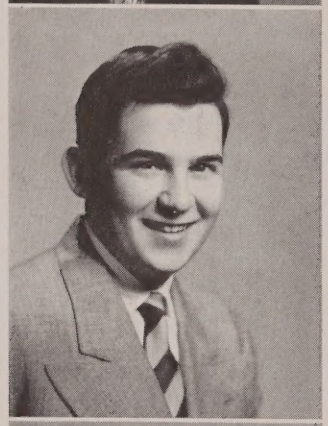




ROBERT PICKETT

"Bob" or *"Pic"*

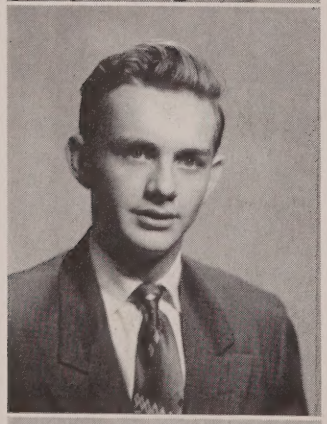
"Bob" is that tall, good-looking fellow. For four years he has proved to be a stand-out end on the football team. In his Senior year "Bob" was voted on the WTAG All-Star Team. He has also played Varsity Basketball for four years. He is very active in all school activities, and can be seen in attendance at all the social events and the other school functions. "Bob" is also Secretary-Treasurer of the Senior Class. His future is undecided but whatever he undertakes, we at St. John's know he will succeed.



RICHARD PINGETON

"Dick"

They say that a chubby person is always a possessor of a great deal of good-naturedness. Following this criterion, "Dick", who is just slightly on the chubby side, is a pleasant mixture of jollity and seriousness. During his junior and senior years he saw quite a bit of action in the school productions, revealing hitherto unknown talent in the thespian arts. Dick was never a slouch in the classroom, proof of which can be found in the fact that he was often named on the Honor Roll. Best of luck at Mass. State, Dick.



FRANK RITCHIE

"Frank"

After graduating from St. John's Grammar School Frank came to the High School. He played two years on the football team and in his senior year was picked on the All-Star Team. He was also a committee man for the senior hop. Good luck in the future to Frank from the class of '52.

SAMUEL ROCCO

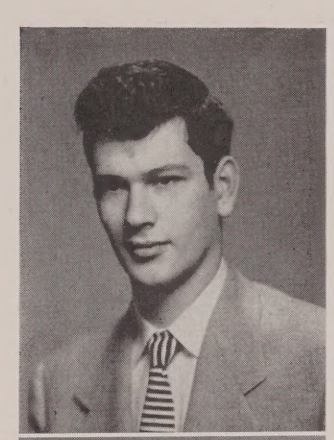
"Sam"

A small, dark man seen about school on crutches this year was none other than likeable Sammy. A transfer student in our sophomore year, Sam immediately became liked by all the students. With his humor and personality, it was always a pleasure to talk with "Sam." "Sam" played football two years before coming into his own in his senior year. Sam's plans for the future are indefinite but whatever he does he will surely do the right thing and become a success. "Sam" is another Grafton Hill boy.

JOHN SCHUFFELS

"Jack"

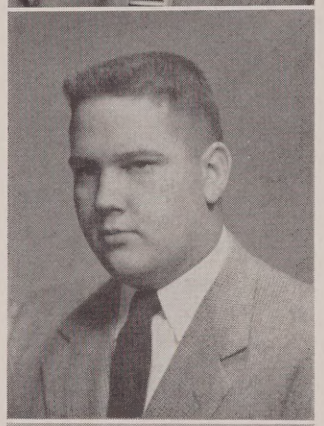
A tall, dark man seen wandering through the halls at any time is probably our own "Jack." The man with the side burns has been with us for four years and has won many friends. "Schuff" is interested in cars as can be attested by the one he drove to school in the early part of this year. Possessor of a great sense of humor, "Jack" will be a success after attending the Maritime Academy.



JOSEPH P. SEPAS

"Joe"

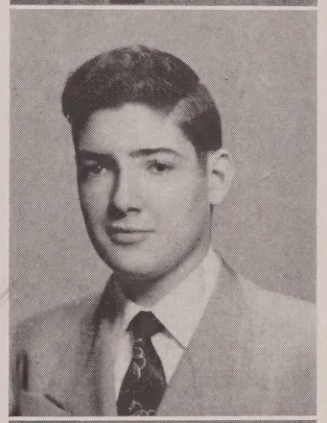
"Joe" who tips the scales at about two hundred and fifty pounds is the biggest boy in the class. He put his weight to good use on the gridiron, playing for the "Pioneers" since his sophomore year. He proved himself quite a salesman this year when he sold a large number of subscriptions and ads for the yearbook fund. He is a zealous student who does his best in whatever he undertakes.



PAUL R. SEYMOUR

"Paul"

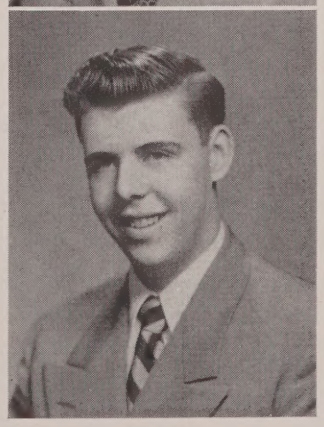
Paul's stay at S. J. has been marked by his quiet attitude and also his ability to make friends. Although his work after school at the Telegram and Gazette has kept him from taking part in athletic events, he has more than made up for this by his school spirit and his work in class. "Paul" is undecided about the future but from his past work we know that he will be successful in whatever he does.

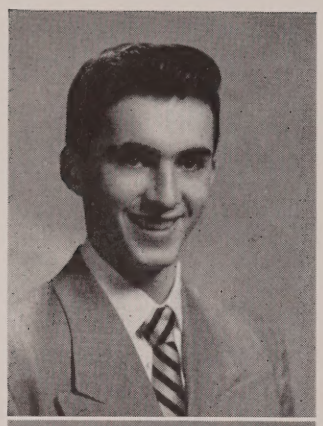


THOMAS A. SHEAHAN

"Tom"

We have seen "Tom" arrive at school every day in his car over the past four years. Although he is a good driver, it is not this alone that makes him outstanding. It is his musical ability. "Tom" is a versatile musician, specializing on the piano but also playing quite a few other instruments, and well, too. He has his own orchestra and plays at many of the dances around town. We wish "Tom" the best of luck and, at the rate he is going, we will be looking for his name on records shortly.

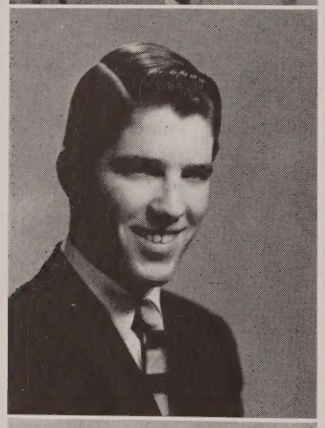




GERALD I. SINGER

"Gerry"

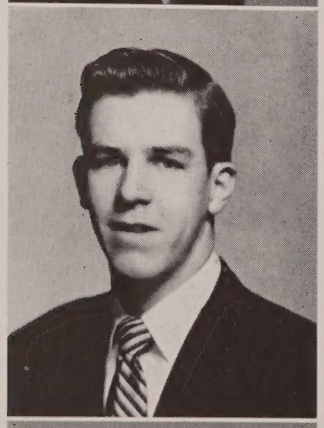
Shrewsbury has long been a contributor of many talented young men to Saint John's. "Gerry" is one of these fellows. His cartoons have a unique quality which makes them classics in the eyes of his buddies. He is a good student who thrives on the sciences, especially in the chemistry lab where he can be seen conducting two experiments at once. Good luck, "Gerry".



ROGER SNYDER

"Doc"

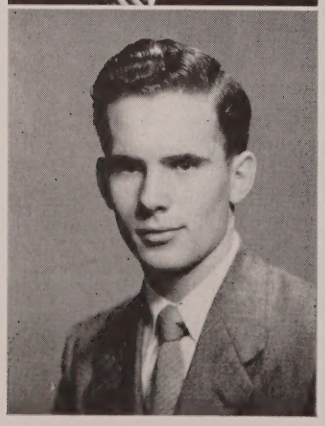
"Doc" followed his brother's footsteps and graced the classrooms of St. John's for four years. This is a remarkable feat when you consider that every day he came it was necessary to plod all the way from the pastures of North Brookfield. In his senior year when it was found that St. John's lacked an inspiring cheerleader, "Doc" readily volunteered his services and undertook the difficult task of conducting the rallies. He never missed a school function and could always be counted on to show up with "Bill" Iadisernia. "Doc" plans to enter the business of his father when he completes his education at Lowell Textile.



ROBERT A. SWEENY

"Bob"

"Bob" is the second member of his family to attend S. J. in the last six years. And he has followed his brothers' example by being on the honor roll many times. "Bob" is one of the quiet boys of the class. Every day after school "Bob" can be seen working at Siegal Furs as a stock boy. He has made plans to further his education at Holy Cross. The Senior class knows that he will have no trouble in reaching his goal because of his ability and industry.



JOHN TRAINOR

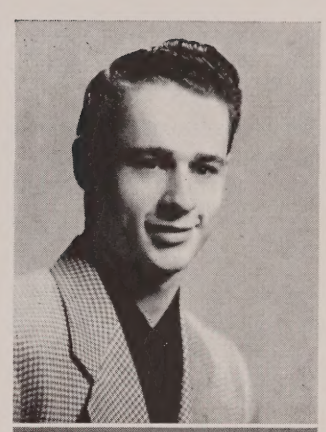
"Jack"

"Jack" is one of the multitude of boys who come to St. John's from Vernon Hill. He has been a student at St. John's, including grammar school, for nine years. Although he weighed but one hundred and forty pounds, John played first string guard on the varsity football team for two years. Previous to that he was a starting member of "O'Brien's" a championship sandlot football team. Many saw him as a valuable cog in the Ascension Parish's basketball team last winter. John's immediate plans are uncertain but we wish him success.

PAUL WALCOTT

"Mr. Universe"

Paul is one of the boys at Saint John's High School who is a daily customer of the Marlboro to Worcester bus. His magnetic personality has made him a boy who is well liked by everybody. He is the kind who can take a joke as well as make one. Forsaking the classics in his junior year he devoted himself to math and the sciences. Besides doing the studying necessary to stay on the Honor Roll, Paul manages to do quite a bit of weight lifting. Best of luck, Paul.



LAURENCE WILES

"Larry"

"Larry" is one of the many average students at S.J. He is a cheerful classmate with a good word for all. After school, "Larry" can be seen working at Quality Fish Market where he is their ace clerk. Beside working at the market, "Larry" is kept busy as a lifeguard at the Boys' Club. His swimming ability is also put to good use as he is one of the star members on the water basketball team at the Boys' Club. We, the members of the Senior Class, wish you all the success in the future.

Onward

We've climbed the ladder, steep and tall
With many a slip but never a fall.
Today we have reached the very end;
We are no longer boys — we're men.

Our training here has been the best;
We are now prepared to meet the test.
We need not fear trial nor foe,
If in God our trust we show.

Today we take our place in life,
Which is now engulfed in war and strife.
Tomorrow the service will be our station,
For it is our duty to defend our nation.

Let us go forth one and all
And perform our duties large and small.
And so today with tear stained eye
To the school we love, we say good bye.

Past

Present

Future

Class Will

We, the distinguished class of nineteen hundred and fifty-two of St. John's High School, Worcester, Massachusetts, being of somewhat sound mind and tired body, do hereby declare and give, designate and bequeath our last will and testament.

To the priests of S. J. we bequeath our thanks for their willing support, and especially to Fr. Lahey we leave our hopes that he will never have to relinquish his "BABY."

To the kind and understanding faculty we will the following:

To Bro. Vincent we leave a new and large stack of late slips for the tardy Juniors.

To Bro. Elias we leave a water pistol to wake up the snoozers.

To Bro. Dennis Joseph we will a more industrious Religion class next year.

To Bro. Andrew Joseph we bequeath a book entitled, "How to Develop Good Study Habits."

To Bro. Bede we leave the lab in peace (one piece).

To Bro. Regis we leave our sincere thanks.

To Bro. Norbert we bequeath a few more arms to demonstrate a four-sided trihedral angle.

To Bro. Anthony we leave our admiration both as an eminent Latin teacher and as a moulder of a fine freshman basketball team.

To Bro. Ricardo we bequeath our thanks for his helpful guidance and advice.

To Bro. Alfred we will our sincerest desire that he has the best luck with his J. V. next year.

To Mr. Devlin we leave our congratulations for four most successful years.

To the Juniors we leave our distinguished record both athletically and scholastically that will be hard to beat.

To this hallowed institute of learning and to the future men of S. J. each member of the eminent class of '52 leaves the following reminder of his brief stay:

"Bud" Paciello leaves his pitching arm to Jim Lavin.

Marshall Martin gives his dancing ability to any left-footed Junior.

Bill Martin just leaves.

Doc Snyder leaves a fighting spirit that will live forever in the school.

Hugh McCann leaves his reserved seat on the B & W bus.

Paul Seymour gives his French book complete with notes to Tom Foley.

Dan McCarthy leaves his unequalled athletic ability as a shining example of the power of St. John's in all sports.

Dick Pingeton leaves all math teachers a headache.

Tom McGillicuddy leaves his Chemistry book to any aspiring scientist.

Larry Nugent leaves his wardrobe to Tom Cunningham.

Mike Moynihan leaves his witty poetry to Bro. Elias.

Kevin Mullin leaves Biology with a smile.

Ed Beauchamp leaves his Chemistry to Don (Red) Hayes.

Bill Iadisernia leaves his wild stories of Palmer and West Brookfield.

Jack Halloran leaves his great personality to any Junior who thinks he can uphold it.

Ernie Bourgeois leaves his sagging muscles.

Bob Buron leaves his memories of Springfield.

Bob Hoey leaves his office as governor of 4B to some up-and-coming Junior.

Jim Hickey, Ed Morrissey, and Larry Wiles leave History with a sigh of relief.

Tiny Cabana leaves his view of the hundred thousand dollar homes next door to anyone.

Al Henderson leaves his seat in English to some sleepy Junior.

Jim Courville leaves his slide rule to Bro. Bede if he thinks he can use it.

Glen Griffin leaves his sessions in indefinite jug to Geo. Fitzgibbons.

Bill Jackman leaves his massive build to Pierce Walsh.

Jack Monahan leaves his job of collecting absentee slips to any able Junior.

P. P. Jackson leaves all of his height to Dick McGrath.

Jack McLaughlin leaves his daily trek to Jack Lusignan.

Bob Jolly leaves his five o'clock shadow to John Guerin.

Charlie McGinnis leaves all his late slips to some Junior who likes to sleep in the morning.

Stubbs Kasper leaves his toe to Dave Hurley.

Jim McDermott leaves his biology notebook to Len Gribbons.

Bob Kenneway leaves his chemistry knowledge to Bill Mackie.

Dan McAuliffe leaves his parking space in the church yard to anyone who wants it.

Archie Lefebvre leaves his much used nose guard to Jack Donahue.

Don Belisle leaves his pool stick to Joe Maguire.

Dennis Manyak leaves his mad experiments for Bro. Bede to figure out.

Art Belsito leaves his good looks. He doesn't want them.

Tom Malloy leaves his air of self-assurance.

Bob Case leaves his basketball ability to Chick Wickam.

George Madaus leaves his long walk to school to Frank Foley.

Lefty Lynch leaves his desk to some energetic Junior.

Bill Coffey leaves his private hanger and closet.

Gus Cullen leaves his desk for some Junior to fix.

Hank Ledoux leaves his collection of pictures drawn on old test papers.

John Doyle leaves his penknife to Bro. Andrew Joseph.

Art Lavallee bequeaths his flashy ties to one of the backwoodsmen from North Grafton.

Bill Dunne wills his bottle of ink to Horse Burke.

Dave Flaherty leaves 15 cents for a pad of paper.

Fran Kelly leaves all the over-due books to the library.

Phil Gabree leaves his stocking cap.

Bob Johnson and Ron Maple leave together as usual.

Bob Gallagher leaves with his high blood pressure.

Dick Hackett leaves his French notes to Jim Lavin.

Roland Gravel leaves quietly.

Bill Monahan leaves his well groomed hair to Jim Higgins.

Jim Murphy leaves his T. V. know-how to any Vernon Hiller.

John Monahan leaves his camel hair coat to Dick McGrath.

Paul Walcott leaves for laughs.

Henry Naventi leaves his accordion playing to Sam Cerasuola.

John Trainor leaves his 145 pound guard position to some able Junior.

David O'Brien wills his daily trip in from Sturbridge to William Golden.

Gerry Singer bequeaths his artistic ability to Kevin Murphy.

Ron O'Brien leaves his ability of bluffing.

Tom Sheahan leaves his musical ability to any Junior.

Binny O'Leary leaves after five years.

Joe Sepas leaves his formula for dieting to Joe Maguire.

Bob Pickett leaves his bottle of glue to Oscar Mulhearn.

Jack Schuffels wills his sideburns to any junior.

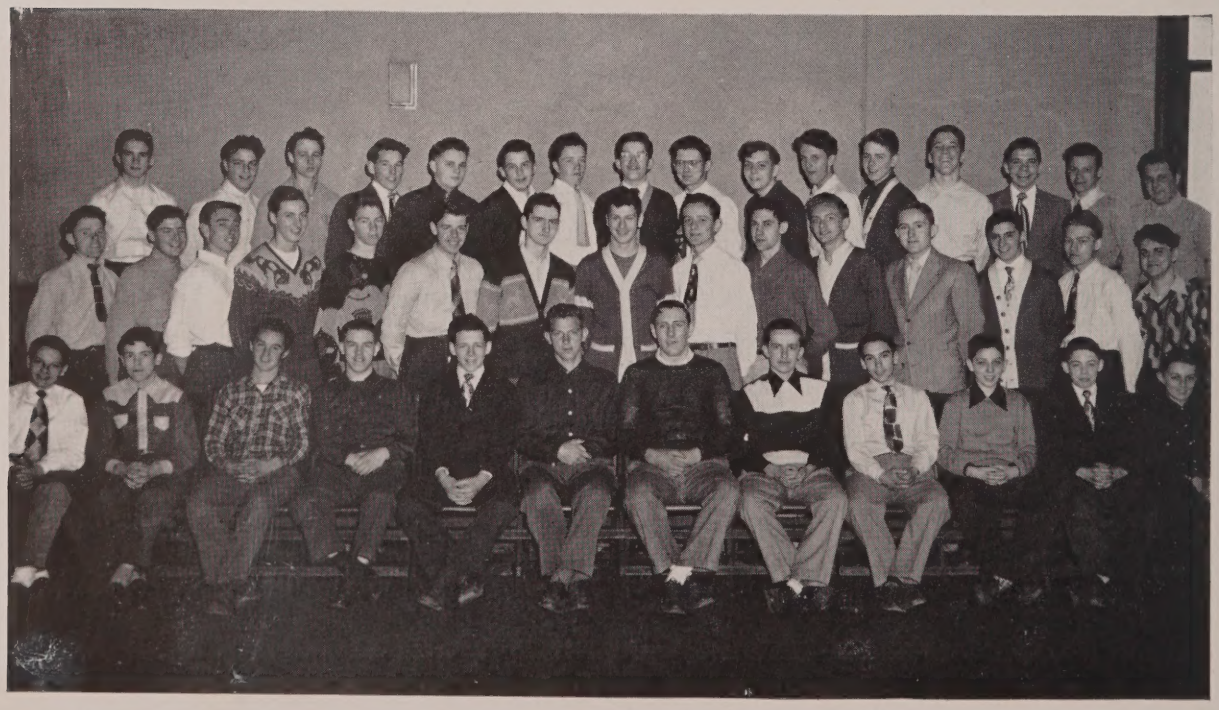
Frank Ritchie wills his honorary captaincy to Ed Gallagher.

Sam Rocco leaves his refereeing ability to Charlie Carrigan.

Class History

I, the chosen chronicler, shall try to bring to you a picture of some of the outstanding deeds accomplished by the Class of '52 for its four years at the renowned halls of St. John's. Much praise is due to this group of fellows who started in September 1948. Numbering about one hundred Freshmen out of grammar school we acquainted ourselves with our first year proctors, Brothers Alfred and Jean.

Our first undertaking as a group was the election of class officers. These were as follows: Presidents: William Martin, 1A, and James Grant, 1B. Vice-Presidents: Michael Moynihan, 1A, and Daniel McCarthy, 1B. Secretary-Treasurers: Armand Boule, 1A, and Daniel Cronin, 1B. The football season had already opened and a group from our number such as Dan McCarthy, who in four years would prove to be the greatest athlete ever to leave S. J., Jack Halloran, Art Belsito, two of the four boys who played on the team for four years, Jack McLaughlin, Mike Moynihan, and others were included on the team roster. Next came the basketball season and the frosh team, under the guidance of Bro. Alfred, with Bob Cabana, Dave Flaherty, Bob Pickett, Jack Halloran, and Bill Dunne, had a better than .500 record. The Five Aces with the board work of Bob Pickett and Art Belsito won the Intra-mural basketball crown. Baseball season did not lack a frosh team



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which was coached by Brothers Jean and Bede. Hook Cawley, Tiny Cabana, Paul Hickey, Jack Halloran, and Tom McGillicuddy composed part of the snappy nine. Summer vacation came and went quickly and we started our Sophomore year.

Our homeroom teachers this year were Brothers Norbert and Ricardo, a new member of the faculty. The Class officers were: Presidents: Daniel McCarthy, 2A and John Halloran, 2B. Vice-Presidents: Thomas McGillicuddy, 2A and Robert Case, 2B. Secretary-Treasurer: Arthur Belsito, 2A and Robert Pickett, 2B. For the first time in years 2A trounced 2B class in Intra-mural football. Many of our fellows, especially Dan McAuliffe and his serenaders, helped Brother Ricardo make a success of his first C. S. M. C. talent show. Varsity football, basketball, and baseball claimed more boys from our class than any other class in the school.

After returning from our well-deserved rest we found that a new principal, Brother Vincent, had taken Brother Theophane's place. The respective classes, A and B elected the following officers: Daniel McCarthy and John Moynihan, Presidents; Thomas McGillicuddy and William Iadisernia, Vice-Presidents; and Robert Pickett and Arthur Belsito Secretary-Treasurers. Our moderators were Brothers Andrew Joseph and Anthony. The football team had a successful gridiron campaign placing second in the city championship. In the school play "Here Comes Charlie" Michael Moynihan and William Martin had leading parts.

After the midyear exams we decided on our class rings. This was about the time the basketball team won the Western Mass. Championship — thanks to members of our class who made up a bulk of the first team. Jim Courville and Dan McCarthy were picked as Co-Captains both in football and basketball, while the latter, with Stubbs Kasper, co-captained the baseball team.

In May we had our Junior Prom at the Hillcrest Country Club. Everybody en-

joyed himself immensely. Nobody can say that we were indifferent, for three-fourths of our class were working after school and at the same time maintaining good marks. Time seemed to be ticking faster and faster and that longed-for summer vacation came and went in a flash.

Now we started our final and most important year. As usual we elected class officers and the results showed: Presidents: Daniel McCarthy and James Courville. Vice-Presidents: Thomas McGillicuddy and William Iadisernia. Secretary-Treasurers: Roger Snyder and Robert Pickett.

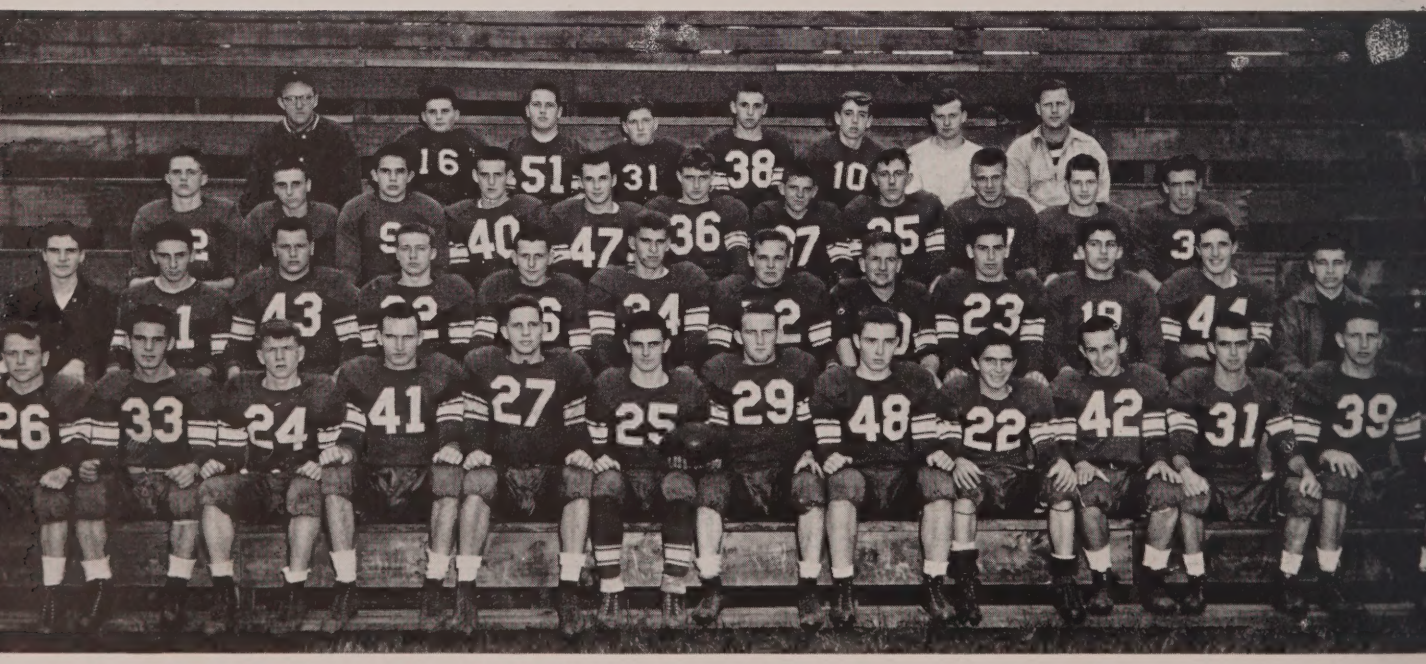
Under the watchful eye of our homeroom teachers, Brothers Elias and Dennis Joseph, this proved to be a prosperous year. With sixteen seniors on the squad we won the city football title, and played in the Exchange Bowl at Lynn. In Intramural football 4A teamed up with 4B to beat the two Junior classes. The former combination showed its strength with Snyder, Moynihan, and Cullen in the line and the snappy backfield of Paciello, McHugh, Courtney, Case, and O'Leary.

The *Red and White* included many Seniors on its staff. William Martin won the Senior oratorical contest. In the annual C. S. M. C. contest, Jackie Naventi with his accordion made a hit with the students.

Mid-Year was the occasion for the Senior Hop, held at Tuckerman Hall accompanied by the soothing music of Perry Conte. Courville's All-Stars again won the Intra-mural championship of the senior division with such stars as Bob Kenneway, Bill Dunne, Jack Halloran, and Billy Courtney. The school play "Spring Green," under the guidance of Brother Andrew Joseph included our own Paul Seymour and Dick Pingeton. Now our four enjoyable years have drawn to an end.

We, the Class of '52, extend our heartfelt thanks to the Priests, Brothers and Coach for a splendid four years. May we make new Histories worthy of Our St. John's.

Francis Kelly — *Class Historian*



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BENEFIT A SUCCESS

The annual benefit for the Unemployed of the Class of '52, St. John's High, was held last night at Griffin's Gardens in the heart of the night spot district. The entertainment was headed by Dick Pingeton, the current bobby-sox idol, and Academy Award winner William Martin. Music was supplied by Tom Sheahan and his Sad Sack Six featuring Danny McAuliffe on the Sax. Among those present were the syndicated columnist, Bill Coffey, and Don Belisle and Arthur Lavalee, well-known movie critics. As usual the affair was a huge success.

DEPART FOR ENGLAND

After scoring a hit on their coast to coast tour, the comedy duo of Bill Iadisernia and Jack Monahan will leave today for England on the British liner, "Marshall Plan." Booked for a six months' play at the Palladium in London, we feel confident that Bill and Jack will kill 'em and we mean that literally.

ATTEND CONVENTION

George Madaus, Editor of the Pioneer Press, will attend the AP convention in Chicago next month along with Bill Dunne, sports editor; Jack McLaughlin, ace photographer; and Hervey Lemay and Art Belsito, feature reporters, all members of the staff.

NEW ST. WILLIAM'S CHURCH DEDICATED

The new $3,000,000 St. William's Church, a gift of Wall Street financial wizards Bob Johnson and Ronald Maple, was dedicated here yesterday. Principal speakers at the ceremonies included Rev. Francis Kelley, pastor of the church, Mayor Edward Morrissey and State Senator Lawrence Wiles. Also on hand were Brothers Eustacius (John Moynihan), Bartholomew (Paul Cullen), and Andrew Aloysius (John Doyle).

The church is said to be the most beautiful in the United States and was designed by architect Kevin Mullen and built by the contracting concern of Beauchamp and Buron, Inc.

GALA OPENING

President of the Allrex Drug Store Marshall Martin, announced the opening of the latest store at Main and Front Streets tomorrow. The store is designed, says Mr. Martin, for the laziest men in the world because it is completely automatic. Everything is under the control of push buttons. To fill the prescription needs of the public Mr. Martin has acquired the services of the best pharmacists in the business, Joe Sepas and Tom McGillicuddy.

AREA WAR HEROES WELCOMED

Four local servicemen were greeted at the Boston docks today by a delegation of Worcesterites headed by Dr. Michael

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Moynihan, the prominent head surgeon at City Hospital. Pilots Lt. James McDermott and Lt. George Kerlejza along with Marine Sgt. Charles McGuinnes and Capt. William Jackman were given a rousing welcome.

HONORED AT BANQUET

Head Coach Dave Flaherty and his assistant Bob Kenneway were presented with Trophies last night at a basketball testimonial honoring their classy St. John's five, winners of the Eastern States' Catholic Tournament at Newport.

BREAKS SPEED RECORD

Jack Naventi finished strong to edge out Bill Courtney in record time of 149.12 mph yesterday at the Dave O'Brien Speedway to win the annual auto classic, the Cawley Cup. Automobile tycoon Jim Cawley presented the winner with $15,000 and a new model of his Supersonic Hook-Mobile, the quietest, smoothest running vehicle on the road. Naventi credits much of his success to his two ace mechanics, Jack Schuffels and Jerry Singer.

MR. AMERICA CONTEST

Local talent will feature the Mr. America contest next week when Shrewsbury's Ronnie O'Brien and Paul Walcott and Ernie Bourgeois of Marlboro vie for the crown. Judges will be Governor Paul Jackson and Senators Jim Hickey and Bill Monahan.

NOBEL PRIZE WINNERS

American Scientist Dr. Dennis Manyak and Dr. Philip Gabree were today awarded the Nobel Prize in medicine for their discovery of the cure for Scleurosis of the thrombosis.

SPORTS

GRAND SLAM

Colorado School of Mines piloted by the brilliant rookie coach, Jim Courville, completed the Grand Slam of basketball yesterday by defeating Susquehanna P. 99-67 to win the N. C. A. tournament only one week after copping the National Invitation crown. The scoring was led by Colorado's Binnie O'Leary who swished 28 and Bob Cabana's 21. Colorado was paced by the sparkling play-making of Bob Case and the stellar board work of Bob Pickett.

AGREE TO TERMS

Shortstop Billy Kasper and pitcher Bud Paciello renewed contracts with the Boston Red Sox yesterday. The salaries were undisclosed. Kasper batted .348 while earning Rookie of the Year honors last season and Paciello compiled a 23 and 5 record.

FIVE MORE FOR PRO-ALL STAR TILT

All Star Coach Billy Lynch of Notre Dame nominated five more players for his College All-Star squad which will face the champion Detroit Lions in August. Those named were Archie Lefebvre of Notre Dame, John Trainor and Frank Ritchie of Fordham and Jack Halloran and Sam Rocco of U. C. L. A.

BULLETIN

The Affiliated Press sports writer today picked Dan McCarthy, a triple winner in the Summer Olympics, as Athlete of the year.

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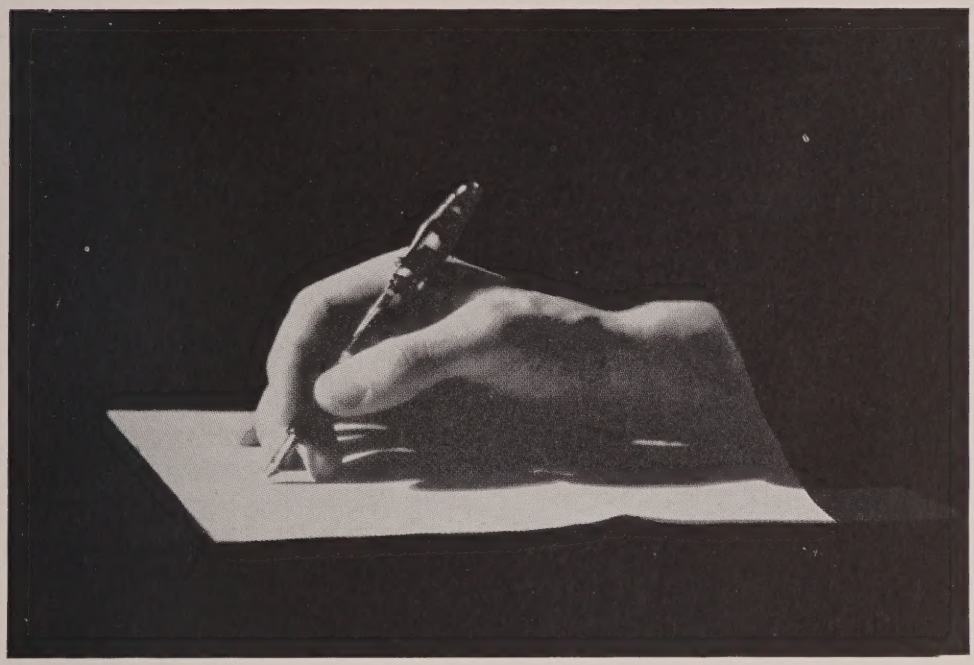


Publications

The Red and White

Dressed up in a revised five column format and issued six times throughout the school year the *Red and White,* St. John's official school publication, was edited by George Madaus. He was ably assisted in his editorial task by Bill Martin, Frank Kelly and Marshall Martin of the Class of '52. Bill Coffey undertook the task of Business Manager and through his efforts a beginning was made for a complete advertising program for next season.

Because of the lack of any specific time during the school day when the staff could assemble for meetings, efforts were directed to laying the ground-work for the coming year. Plans for next year include eight editions instead of six, a more comprehensive advertising program and a journalism class made up of a limited number of seniors and juniors. Only the efforts of the present senior members of the staff made such a program possible for next year.

Staff members of the Class of '53 from whom the editor for next season will be selected include: John Guerin, George Fitzgibbons, Joe Maguire, Paul Carty and John Doon. Sophomores who learned the fundamentals in an elementary jounalism group, and who contributed to one or more issues this past season, are the following: Frank Foley, Roger Jolicoeur, Remi Dubuque, James Maneely, Jack Trainor.

Staff artist Paul Coakley contributed a new front page band which was used in alternate issues. Changes in format included the use of script type, interviews with outstanding alumni, and the introduction of columns written by staff members. Greatest handicap was and is — the lack of a first rate photographer.

Brother Bede, staff moderator for the past five years retired this season in favor of Brother Ricardo. Brother Dennis Joseph remained on the Staff as advisor.

RED AND WHITE STAFF

Seated: William Martin, George Madaus, George Fitzgibbons, Robert Gallagher.
Standing: Joseph Maguire, John Guerin, Francis Kelly, Paul Carty, William Coffey, Marshall Martin.

PIONEER STAFF

Seated: John Moynihan, George Madaus, Michael Moynihan.

Standing: *First row*: Roger Snyder, William Coffey, Paul Cullen, Marshall Martin, Anthony Paciello, James Courville, Lawrence Nugent.

Second row: John Doyle, Gerald Singer, Joseph Sepas, Francis Kelly, Frank Ritchie, Thomas Sheahan, James Cawley, Ernest Bourgeois.

The Pioneer

Early last Fall the start of this book was begun with a very successful subscription drive netting over eight hundred dollars. This coupled with the ad drive made the *Pioneer* financially possible. We are most appreciative to Brothers Bede and Dennis Joseph, Yearbook moderators, for their fine assistance.

During February a competent staff of officers was chosen. George Madaus, Editor; Mike Moynihan, Associate Editor; Joseph Sepas and William Coffey, Business Managers; Francis Kelly, Historian; James Courville, Activities; Roger Snyder, Sports; Robert Cullen and Robert Doyle, Class Will; Marshall Martin and Frank Ritchie, Biography; John Moynihan and Anthony Paciello, Superlatives; Richard Pingeton, Class Poet; Ronald O'Brien and Gerald Singer, Art Editors; Lawrence Nugent and James Cawley, Prophecy; and Tom Sheahan, Music Editor.

The *Pioneer* got off to a good start with the subscription drive. This drive was carried on successfully by the senior class with the help of the underclassmen. The money obtained made the Yearbook possible. The real work began in April with the writing of the various articles and the getting of ads in order to complete the payment of the *Pioneer*. The assembling of the book took place at the Brothers' home where meetings were held after school and a few nights. Michael Moynihan, George Madaus and Glen Griffin were the boys that carried on this work and made it possible for the Yearbook to be published on time. We on the staff would like to give a special thanks to Glen Griffin for his cooperation in this work as Glen was not originally on the staff but volunteered his service when he knew that some of the others on the staff had to work in the afternoon and thus were not able to go to some of the meetings.

DECLAMATION CONTEST

James McCormick — William Martin

Declamation Contest

This year found eighty participants in the second annual Bishop Wright Declamation contest. The eliminations were held and regulated by the English teachers in all four years. Eight contestants were chosen from the Junior division, which consisted of the first and second years and Senior division, which consisted of the third and fourth years.

Delegates from each room, Edward Foley 1A, Willliam McGrath 1B, Remi Dubuque 2A, James McCormick 2B, Joseph Maguire 3A, George Fitzgibbons 3B, William Martin 4A, and James Courville 4B. The winners were James McCormick of the Junior division and William Martin of the Senior division. These two then entered the semi-finals held at St. Mary's in Milford. Returning victorious, they then went into the finals at St. Mary's of Worcester.

James McCormick emerged from the finals as the winner in the Junior division and William Martin finished as runner-up in the Senior division. Following his victory, McCormick also won the American Legion district and local oratorical contests. Only fifteen, Jim displays all the qualities of an experienced orator. We are sure Jim will win many more contests and be a great tribute to St. John's.

C. S. M. C. OFFICERS
Seated: Arthur Belsito, Anthony Paciello.
Standing: Paul Cullen, Thomas Malloy.

CATHOLIC STUDENTS' MISSION CRUSADE

The St. John's Unit, Catholic Students Mission Crusade for 1951-52 school year was headed by Senior Officers — Anthony Paciello, President; Art Belsito, Vice-President; Paul Cullen, Secretary and Tom Malloy, Treasurer.

Class representatives included: freshmen Dick Sullivan and Bill Tattan, sophomores Joe O'Loughlin, Richard Doyle, Joe Norton and Vic Grenon; juniors Joe Maguire and Ed. Mahan.

Tom Malloy successfully engineered the Annual Christmas Talent Show sponsored by the Crusade. Art Belsito acted as chairman and organizer for the annual Mission collection during the Lenten season. This twenty-eight day drive for contributions netted $209.90 for the Bishop's Fund and various worthy Mission causes.

Paul Cullen organized and carried through the daily recitation of the Rosary sponsored by the Crusade during the Lenten Season. In the twenty-eight school day period the average daily attendance for this after-school activity was fifty-four.

Anthony Paciello conducted the general Mission assemblies which were held quarterly during the school year. Three hundred and thirty students had paid membership for the 1951-52 school year and took part in these quarterly meetings. Each meeting was conducted by one of the classes. Brother Ricardo was moderator of the Unit.

Back Row: W. Iadisernia, R. Pickett, R. Snyder, T. McGillicuddy.
Front Row: D. McCarthy, J. Courville.

Dances

Senior Hop

Back in December the Senior class held a meeting in Class 4A to discuss plans for the Senior Hop. It was decided then to have the Hop at Tuckerman Hall on Thursday, January 24, 1952. A committee was elected consisting of Anthony Paciello, Roger Snyder, Francis O'Leary, Thomas Sheahan and Frank Ritchie. Tom Sheahan was in charge of selecting an orchestra and it was agreeable to all to have Perry Conte play for us.

Our Chaperones, Brother Bede, Brother Vincent and Mr. Devlin did a splendid job aiding greatly in the success of the affair. Toward the middle of the evening came intermission and every one enjoyed "cokes" at John Burke's concession down stairs. After intermission we had the traditional Grand March while the orchestra played "Anchors Aweigh."

The Senior Class wishes to extend thanks to the Hop Committee and the Chaperons Brother Vincent, Brother Bede and Mr. Devlin, for an evening enjoyed immensely.

Senior Prom

On June 3rd at the Hillcrest Country Club the Senior Prom was held. This ultimate of high school activities was made possible through the combined efforts of Brother Bede, who got the ball rolling first, and seniors Tim McGillicuddy, Jim Courville, Dick Pingeton, Doc Snyder, and Larry Nugent. Plans started back in April and it was decided to manage the prom in conjunction with Ascension High School. Chaperones included Brother Vincent, Mr. Devlin, and Mr. and Mrs. Schuffles.

A lunch was served at intermission time which was relished by one and all. Credit for this must be given to Father Craven whose foresight was very much appreciated. The couples danced until twelve o'clock to the music of Joey Parks and his orchestra and then left for various eating places to dine and dance a little longer.

It was indeed the best of all good times and an enjoyable ending to our days at St. John's.

Seated: (*Left to Right*): M. McMaster, W. Martin, M. Lynch, G. Fitzgibbons.
Standing: (*Left to Right*): K. Riordan, A. Mitchell, T. Cunningham, E. Walsh, C. Joyce, J. Doyle, P. Seymour, M. Harding, B. Morgan, R. Pingeton.

Dramatics

The Dramatic Club's presentation "Spring Green" was a tremendous success and reached the high level of perfection, so typical of previous offerings of the club. Played to a fine capacity audience with standing room only, the players enjoyed acting to the responsive group before them. Laughs were certainly plentiful.

Taking part in this gay festivity were the Misses Margaret Lynch, Fayne McMaster, Bernie Morgan, Martha Harding, Kay Riordan, Carol Joyce and Betty Walsh. We want to thank the girls of the Ascension for their kindness in participating in this production. Also included in the cast were William Martin, Tom Cunningham, George Fitzgibbons, Paul Seymour, Alden Mitchell, Richard Pingeton and John Doyle.

For their successful efforts the cast was honored with a banquet at the Abner Wheeler House in Framingham. In return for his all-out efforts, patience and labors Brother Andrew Joseph was awarded numerous gifts by the cast.

We also want to thank the stage hands Joe Ginkus and Hal Taylor for their most valuable assistance and also Joseph Maguire and John Guerin for their great job of prompting.

We, the class of "fifty-two," sincerely wish the future actors and actresses all the necessary luck and good wishes and to Brother Andrew Joseph we gratefully wish everything that a top producer-director might need to make his productions in the future a terrific success.

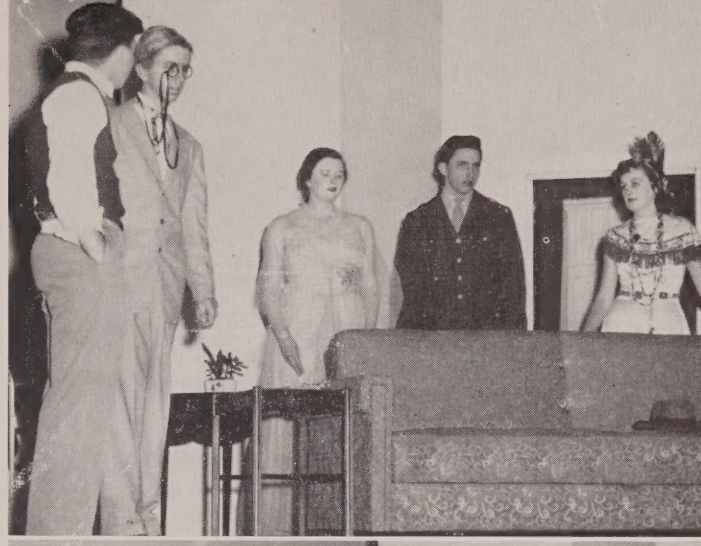
As we took our seats among the audience that night, quite contented after our sumptuous Thanksgiving Day feast and the win over our arch-rivals, St. Peter's, we looked forward to a splendid evening as an end to a splendid day. We were not disappointed. "Spring Green" was a hilarious comedy, made even more humorous by students who took part in it.

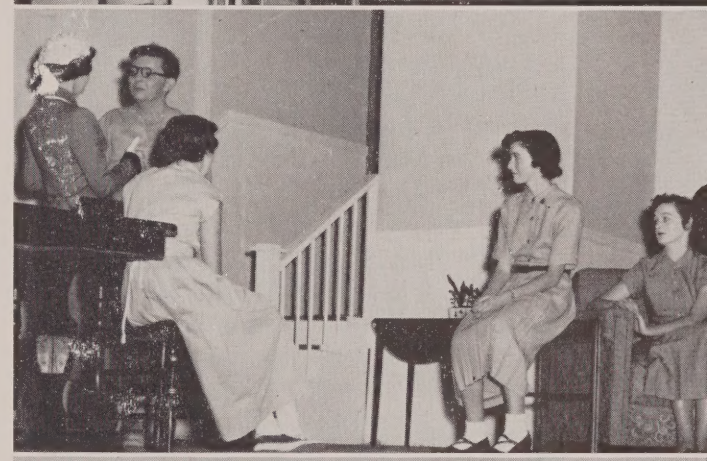
All of us were well acquainted with the tremendous adeptness of Willy Martin in the Thespian arts. Well known in all local sectors for his participation in Minstrel shows, and a veteran of four school productions, the lead role naturally fell upon him. He assumed the part of a New York City boy who is visiting at a small town. Contrary to popular expectations he turned out to be more interested in worms than in big city night clubs and matinees. Add to this curious idiosyncracy a severe attack of puppy love and a domineering father and the result is a very bewildered . . . and hilarious character. Yes, Billy was superb in his last performance for the school.

We all were treated to a sneak preview of what Dick Pingeton will look and act like when he is aged and grey. His was the part of a cantankerous old grandfather, astride a wheel chair. However, we trust that in years to come, Pingie will be quite healthy and of a pleasant disposition.

Imagine a character assuming the mingled part of a Don Juan and Mr. Milquetoast at the same time. The startling result was shown to us by none other than Paul Seymore. A bewildered boy was he when he found himself slated to attend the big dance with three girls instead of the usual one. Quite revolutionary, we admit, but he survived!

Probably the biggest surprise of all, however, was John Doyle. Who could imagine this quiet, restrained boy a hard-boiled cop. But John proved himself to be a real showman, so well, in fact, that the boys still slow down when they drive by him on the street. The traditional play proved to be a traditional success.





Musical Notes

Here at St. John's we do not have the facilities to organize a band or orchestra as do the public schools in the city. With this fact in mind this column was put in the yearbook to show that the students here have not forgotten the finer arts.

At the school each year the student body has a talent show to discover boys who are musically inclined. This year the show was won by four seniors who combined their talents and on the spur of the moment organized a neat little outfit. The boys were Tom Sheahan, Dan McAuliffe, Jack Naventi and Bill Iadisernia; playing under the name of "Moments Musicale."

Tom Sheahan is the piano player of the group. He has been playing for the shows since his freshman year. This year he was selected as the best musician in the '52 class. Piano is not Tom's only accomplishment. He also plays a number of other instruments as well. About three years ago Tom started the Hi-Lighter's Orchestra in which he and his cousin Dan McAuliffe have become well known around town. The Hi-Lighters have played for some of the dances which have been held at the school during the past few years and are well known throughout Worcester County.

Dan McAuliffe played a pretty hot saxophone in the combo at the show. Dan has been playing for about four years and since he came to the school in his sophomore year has lent his ability whenever the occasion arose. He played this year at the Christmas party at the Brothers' Home and by the applause he seemed to be well accepted. In his freshman year at South High he played in the band and then joined up with Tom in the orchestra. The two boys will be together in college and will progress from there. If things go as well as they have so far Dan will soon be one of the best sax men in the city.

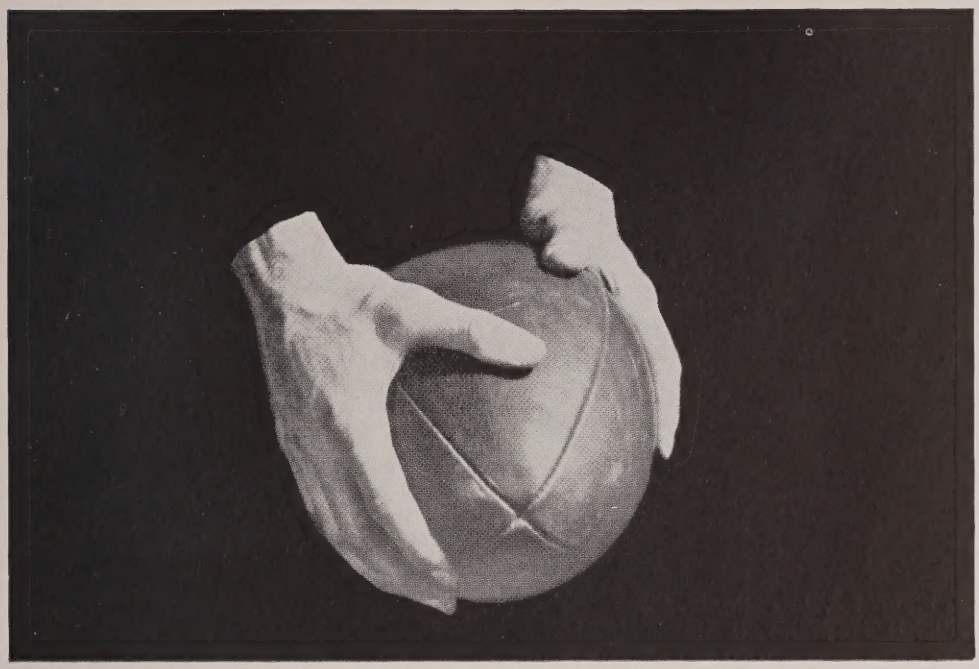
"Jack" Naventi was the third fellow in the group. No small band is complete without a "squeeze box" and Jack excels many on it. He has been playing the accordion for about five years. Jack has only been in the school for two years but in this short time has become a well known figure among the boys. He is an out of town boy from Lee, Mass., and attended Lee High. While there, Jack had his own band and he played for many of the dances in that area. He has also played with other outfits which have noticed his exceptional ability.

The percussion section was very well supplied by Bill Iadisernia who really let the boys know he was on the stage. He is another out-of-towner, hailing from Palmer, Mass. Bill has a fine sense of rhythm which has made him popular with fellows in his town who find themselves in need of a good drummer. When the fast numbers came along there was no use arguing with Bill. He really has what it takes to put some life behind them. We can honestly say that the boys got a great kick out of Bill and his fancy antics.

The four boys we have just mentioned are the Senior Class's contribution to the world of music. We must also mention the underclassmen who help make the shows such a big success. The fellows we are going to talk about are the most promising. The boys are: David Hunt, Samuel Cerasuolo, John Guerin, all juniors, and James McCormick, a sophomore.

Sam Ceresuolo is noted at the school for his fine accordion technique. He has been playing for seven years, starting his lessons at the age of eleven. Sam, like most of the other boys, has had experience with combos. He played for quite a while with the "Mello-Tunes" until the outfit broke up when four of the boys were called into the service. In the future you will perhaps hear more about Sam's accomplishments.

In these "Musical Notes" we have tried to show that by no means is St. John's lacking in musical ability. In the years to come more boys will rise up in the school and shall become well known to the music world. Their names will be seen in the bright lights of marquees and theaters and some will perhaps eventually be on Broadway.



Football

Seated, left to right: Br. Alfred, assistant coach, R. Pickett, A. Lefebvre, J. Halloran, J. Courville, D. McCarthy, S. Rocco, F. Ritchie, W. Kasper.

Second Row: Mr. Devlin, coach, D. Hurley, H. Naventi, J. Sepas, W. Lynch, A. Belsito, P. Walsh, R. Wickham, R. Cabana, F. O'Leary.

Third Row: R. Quinlivan, manager, J. McCrohon, J. Donahue, J. Finnegan, T. Sullivan, J. Mulhern, W. Mackie, F. Corsac, E. Gallagher, P. Danlowicz.

Fourth Row: T. Mooney, assistant manager, D. Leonard, B. Lapoint, R. Doyle, R. Cousineau, C. Doherty, J. Arseneault, J. Durkin, T. Deedy, W. Brown, assistant manager.

Football

MICHAEL MOYNIHAN

As you know, Ancient Rome, while more interested in the cultural pursuits of the republic, took great pride in the honor and glory brought to it by legions of men representing it on the distant battle fields. In a similar way, St. John's, while its primary interest is in the moral and intellectual growth of its students, takes great pride in the honor and glory brought to it by teams of athletes representing it in the various fields of sports.

It is our task to edit for this publication a précis of one of these various fields, that of football. Just what the best method is, we are not sure. Nevertheless:

Since this book is published primarily for the seniors, this article will deal with the seniors who played on the football team.

The 1951 football season, taken as a whole, was the most successful season ever had by a St. John's team. Scoring 339 points on offense in comparison to 78 points scored against them, the St. John's team bowled over every team on the regular schedule. This record is as envied in Worcester football as the four minute mile is in track. St. John's also became the first Worcester team to be invited to a post-season bowl game, when it received an invitation to the Exchange Bowl, which is played at Lynn, Mass. The team received the additional honor of having eight of its stars named to the All-City Eleven, and one member receiving an unheard of nomination to the All-American High School football squad.

Truly it would be a waste of time to

write a game by game, play by play account of the 1951 season. St. John's so thoroughly outclassed its local opponents that a rambling account of each game would definitely be tedious reading. Instead, we shall recall the three most important games of the season, namely the games with Trade School, St. Peter's High, and Amesbury High. A complete schedule, with scores, will be seen on these pages.

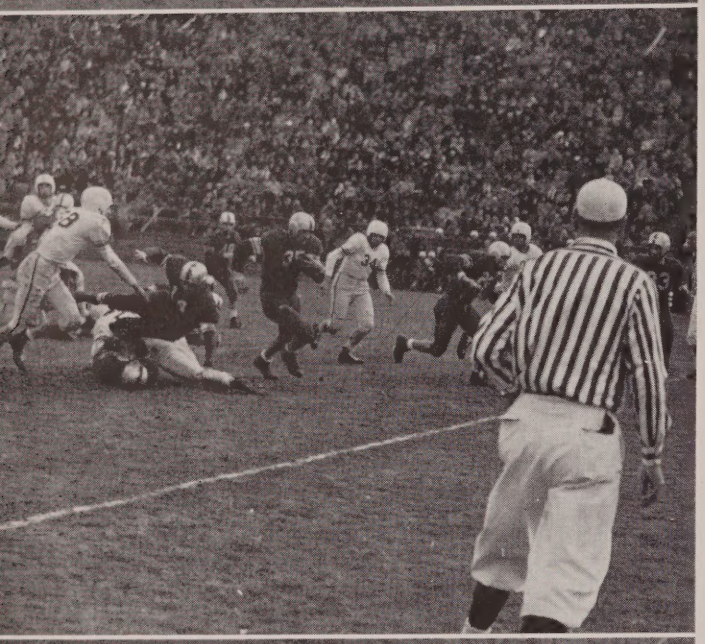
The Trade game deserves mention because it is the first game since 1943 that the St. John's team has emerged the victor. It is true that our team managed to battle to two ties in that span, but we want St. John's to have the apple, not to share it. At kickoff time, experts rated both teams about even, since each had four wins to its credit. However, it was only a few short minutes later that all those watching the game from their seats at the Municipal Athletic Field realized that it would be no close struggle. Trade's jack-rabbit speed merchant, Norm Caribo was thoroughly checked in every attempt to break away into the clear. With him thwarted, our team had nothing to worry about except getting the offense clicking. Although the whole defense team turned in a remarkable job in this outing, linemen Archie Lefebvre and Pierce Walsh, and line backers Dan McCarthy and Jimmy Courville were particularly outstanding. The most spectacular incident of the game was a tricky 94 yard run for a touchdown by Stubbs Kasper, who intercepted a bullet Trade pass. Two other touchdown jaunts coupled with a pair of extra points made Stubbs high scorer of the day with twenty points. Jimmy Courville and Willie Spence scored one touchdown each. The final score was 32-0.

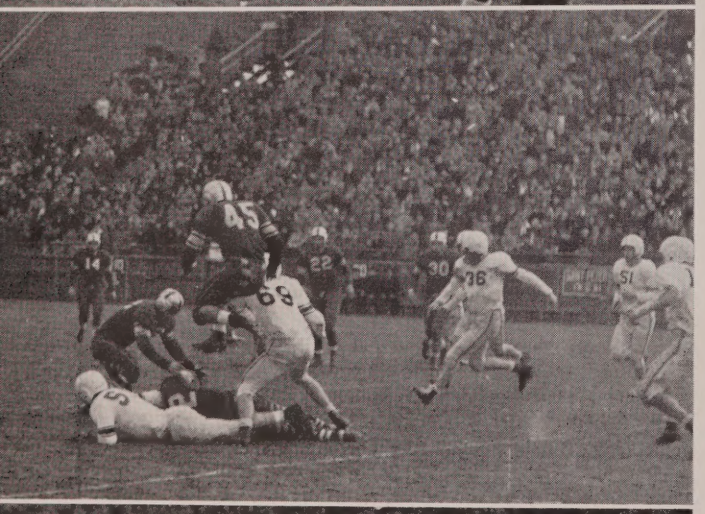
Cathedral booty given to Bishop by Co-Captains.

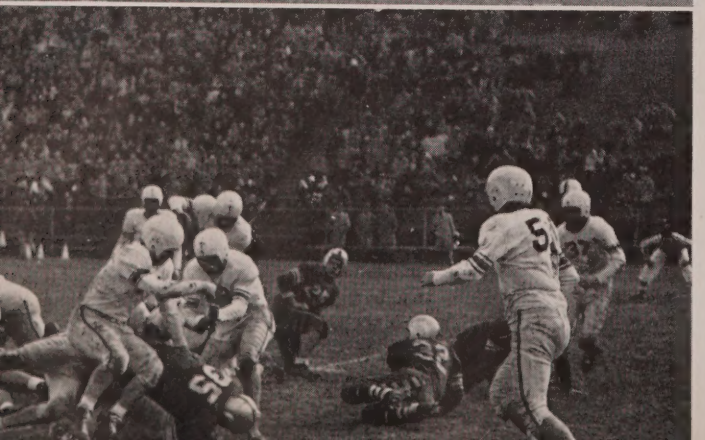
Pioneer Wingmen: Oscar Mulhern (43), Pierce Walsh (29), Bin O'Leary (33), and Veteran Bob Pickett (40).

Of course we must not fail to mention the traditional Turkey Day Classic, the St. Peter's game, for a season without this game would hardly be considered a season at all. As usual Fitton Field seemed exceptionally frigid for a Thanksgiving morning, but as usual again, the stadium was filled with the ranks of the opposing cheering sections. From the opening kickoff to the last whistle, it was all St. John's. True, St. Peter's scored two touchdowns, but there was never any doubt concerning the outcome of the game. Kasper and Courville, the one-two scoring punch of the squad, teamed up to score 47 points, but credit must be given to every boy who played, for all did a remarkable job.

The final game which will receive particular mention is the Amesbury game.







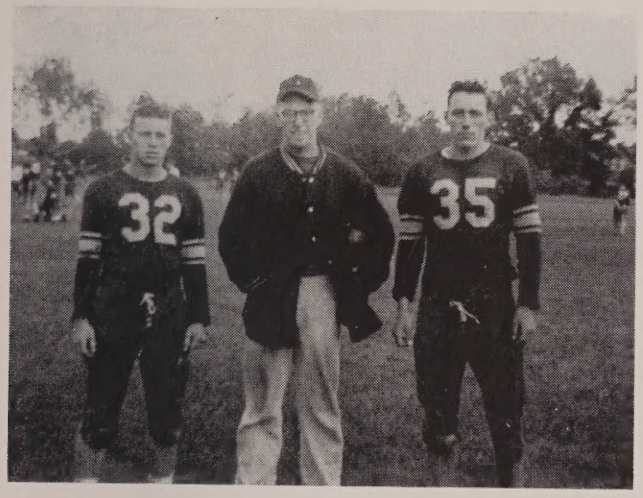
This game took place after the regular season at the Exchange Bowl, which is sponsored by the merchants of Lynn, Mass. Unfortunately, St. John's did not leave the field as victor of the tilt. Amesbury came out on top, the score being 34-14. St. John's entered this game as champions, and although battered and outscored, they left it with their champion character still intact. Individually, each player put in an excellent performance, but the fact that they were vastly outweighed, man for man, and that they had lost six starters by injuries, made defeat inevitable. The highlight of this game was a 34 yard pass by Stubbs Kasper to Binnie O'Leary, who, after snagging the ball from the midst of the defending opponents, was knocked across the goal line for a touchdown.

As unfortunate as this defeat was, St. John's finished its season as a team surfeited with superlatives. Just what made this team click can be attributed to no one element, no single player. The whole star-studded team, from its biggest hero to its lowliest sub, contributed to the season's success. However, if one person had to be named the most important it would, of course, be Mr. Devlin.

Mr. Devlin took a few of these boys under his wing when they already knew the rudiments of the game. Under his tutorship, these talented players became excellent players. However, practically every boy who played regularly for the team this season first showed himself to Mr. Devlin as a boy with loads of ambition, and hardly any skill. Over the years Mr. Devlin developed from this green crop the team of hard playing, hard running, hard hitting football players that represented our school this year.

Let us now take a look at each senior who was on the team.

Co-Capt. Dan McCarthy came out for the team four years ago as a freshman. He was ineligible for the greater part of that season, but managed to play in the final games. From the moment he stepped on the field for the first time in togs of Red and White, he has been a star. The "Deac" was a blocking back for his first



Co-Captains Jim Courville (32) and Dan McCarthy (35) with Coach Bob Devlin during warm-up for Trade Tilt.

three years, and his bone crushing blocks won for him a place on the All-City team in his sophomore and junior years. In his senior year, Dan was shifted to the full-back slot where he played an even more brilliant game, if that is possible, than he did as a blocker. Of course, it goes without saying that this hardest running back in the city was again, for the third time, found on the first string of the All-City squad.

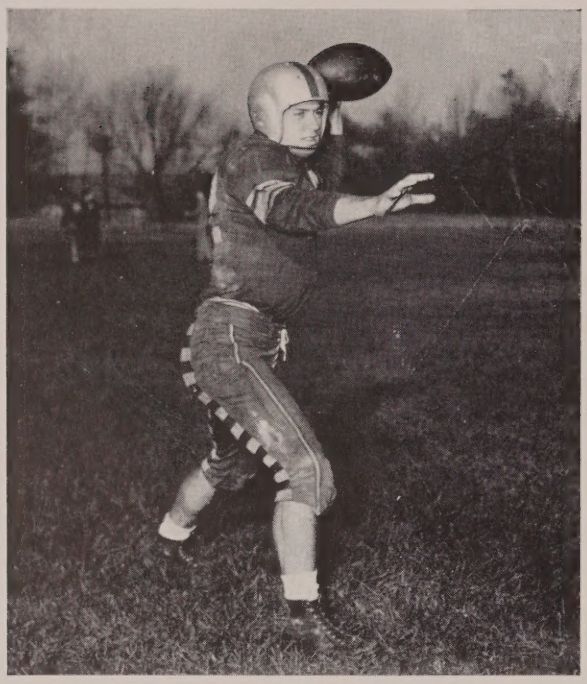
Co-Capt. Jimmy Courville became a starter in his junior year after being a sophomore star on the J.V. team. None of us was surprised when, at the end of the season, he was awarded with All-City honors, for Jimmy was one of the most versatile players in the city. Many a time an opponent seemed to be breaking out into the clear when Jim, from his backer-up slot, would fell him with a bone-crushing tackle. On offense, he ran like a deer and often startled the opposing defense with one of his left-handed passes. He terminated his high school football career by earning an All-City position for the second time.

The offensive wonder of this year's array was Billy Kasper, who, in scoring 127 points in his senior year, was leading scorer of Massachusetts. "Stubbs" is a triple threat backfield man who can run, pass, and kick with equal skill. No one was surprised last November when they found him starting for the All-City team, but when he was notified that he had been nominated for the All-American high school football team, the whole school was in an uproar. As a result of the nomination, Billy can play in the East-West high school game in Tenessee this August. That is the first such honor given to a city footballer in Worcester.

Rounding out the starting backfield was Billy Lynch. Billy came out for the team as a sophomore and found himself playing J.V. tackle. However, when the game with tough Malden Catholic rolled around, all the veteran tackles on the team were on the injured list. "Lefty" was then summoned to action and received the call to arms quite easily. He finished out that season and the one following as a hard hitting tackle, but this year he was given the difficult task of filling the blocking back position relinquished by Dan McCarthy. Again, he was superb. In fact, he did so well that he won a first string position on the All-City team.

The left end slot was held down by Bobby Pickett. For two years Bob assumed the role of an unsung hero in the starting line-up. A hard blocker and excellent pass receiver on the offense, he was also a bear on the defense. He is one of the three seniors who played at St. John's for four years. His ability is attested to

Pioneer Kasper rips off tackle for big gain.



Jim Courville, star wingback.

by the All-City balloting in which Bobby received nine first team votes from a possible eleven. His empty position will be a hard one to fill.

The other end position was ably taken care of by Binnie O'Leary. It is an exception to the rule that a boy plays as a starter his first year out for the team, but then again, Binnie is an exceptional fellow. He came out for the team this year and played first string. At every game you would be sure to see a scintillating catch by Binnie.

Lanky and rugged, Frank Ritchie took over the left tackle position and turned in a superb performance. Although he was absent from the line-up part of the season due to injuries received in the Trade game, his stellar play in the game he was able to play in, won for him a tackle position on the All-City team. Frank played varsity ball in his junior and senior years.

For two years Archie Lefebvre played full-back. Big and rugged, he had all the potentialities of a starting back. Unfortunately, he had come to the scene at the wrong time and found himself vying for a starting position with the best backs in the city. As a result, Archie was made defensive tackle lest such talent waste itself on the bench. Archie did such a fine job in adapting himself to line play that he captured a first string position on the All-City team.

One of the three four-year veterans of the team is Jackie Halloran. During his first two years Jack saw most of his action in J.V. games, but in his junior year he made the big jump to varsity competition. Playing from either the guard or center positions, he displayed remarkable agility in moving his two hundred solid pounds around the gridiron. One of his sub-talents was kicking off, and we saw many long kick-offs delivered by his talented toe. For his outstanding playing in the Springfield Cathedral game, Jack was named on their All-Opponent team.

Jack Trainor was probably the lightest member on the team. Tipping the scales at a mere one hundred and forty-five pounds, he was often called upon to block out opposing linemen outweighing him by fifty or more pounds. His aggressiveness and scrappiness expiated his lighteness, and John found little trouble pushing the big fellows around. He was a guard during his two years on the team.

You might call Sonny Belsito the team handy man. Wherever there was a weak spot in the line-up Sonny filled it. He first played on the team as a freshman, but in the mid-season of his sophomore

Go, Team, Go!

year he had to abandon his football pursuits and work after school. The team realized a great loss. However, Sonny donned football togs again this year and played brilliant ball in both line and backfield positions.

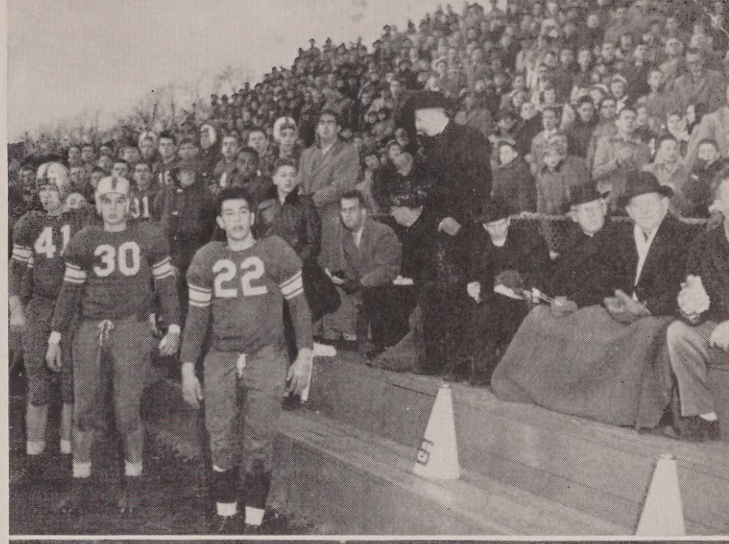
Two hundred and eighty-five pound Joe Sepas was the Goliath of St. John's football teams over the past three years. Joe saw quite a bit of action at both guard and tackle positions. He was the team merrymaker who, when not in the game, put his jocular personality to good use in lessening the tension among the players.

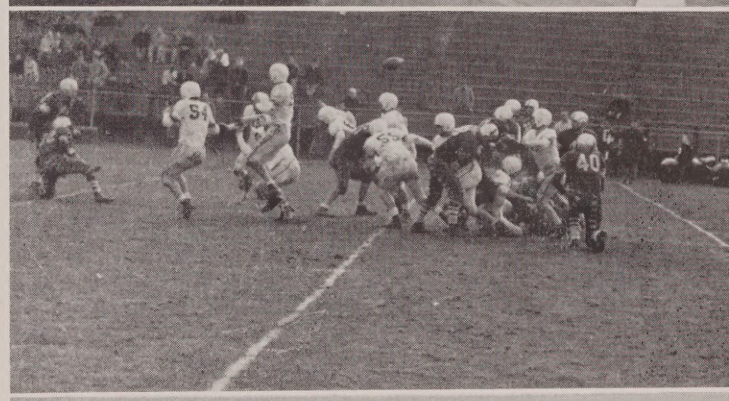
There is an adage which says "Always save the best for the last." Sammy Rocco seems to have followed this saying to the letter. For although he played fine ball during his two years as a varsity player, it was in the rough and tumble Amesbury game that he turned in his best performance. He is, you remember, the first boy in our forces who crossed the line for a score in that tilt. Sammy was a hard running fullback who understudied Dan McCarthy for two years. For this reason, he saw most of his action on the defense.

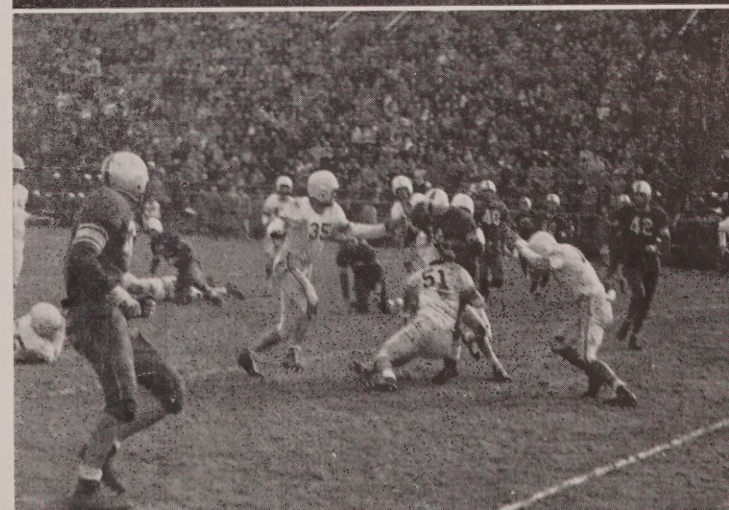
Another boy who, although not a starter, saw quite a bit of action was Bobby Cabana. He was too small to come out his first three years at St. John's, but in his senior year, weighing 135 pounds, he decided to make an effort. That effort was well rewarded for the pint-sized gridder played in every game, running, passing, and blocking from his halfback position.

A boy who saw quite a bit of service in his one year as a varsity gridder is Henry Naventi. He did not come to St. John's until his junior year, and being ineligible, did not come out for the team until he was a senior. Nevertheless, he put his two hundred pounds of solid muscle to excellent use on the defensive platoon. We heard many a thundering noise when Henry made contact on an opposing ball-carrier.

The above boys made up a complete list of the seniors who heard their last whistle at the termination of the Amesbury game. However, there remain to be mentioned a few boys who, because of various







reasons heard their last whistle at an earlier date.

Billy Courtney played end for three years, one of them as a starter, and would have been invaluable to the team had he not been ineligible for competition this year.

Tommy Malloy played J.V. ball during his junior year and was slated for much action as a varsity man this year. Unfortunately, a serious automobile accident put an untimely end to his high school football career.

Ronnie O'Brien came out for the team for the first time in his senior year. It appeared that this rugged Shrewsburyite would follow his older brother's footsteps and be an outstanding member of the varsity. However, he sustained a knee injury in an early scrimmage and was put on the inactive list for this year.

Finally, Glen Griffin, a speedy halfback and a great defensive man, abandoned his athletic endeavors in his senior year to work after school.

We should not fail to mention a few outstanding lowerclassmen who contributed greatly to the cause. Among them are next year's Co-Captains Red Hayes and Dave Hurley, Fran Corsac, Chick Wickham, Tim Sullivan and Bill Mackie.

In closing, the 1951 football team wishes to thank all those who followed the team and offered their moral support, Brother Alfred, for his untiring efforts as assistant coach, Father Rupprecht, our Athletic Director, who saw that the team was well cared for, and finally, Father Lahey, who as Pastor of St. John's Parish, is the Team's number one rooter.

THE LAST SMILE — Senior gridders who donned the Red and White for the last time: Bob Pickett (40), Joe Sepas (51), Henry Naventi (55), Arch Lefebvre (30), Jack Halloran (36), John Trainor (48), Frank Ritchie (47), Bin O'Leary (33), Bob Cabana (30), Art Belsito (28), Bill Lynch (46), Dan McCarthy (35), Bill Kasper (11), Jim Courville (32), Sam Rocco (45).

Basketball

CITY CHAMPS

Front Row: Jack Moynihan, Bill Kasper, Co-Captains Dan McCarthy and Jim Courville, Bob Case, Bob Cabana.
Middle Row: Jack Foley, Dick McGrath, Bob Pickett, Bin O'Leary, Bill Mackie.
Top Row: Father Rupprecht, Chick Wickham, Don Fanion, Frank Foley, Bob Quinlivan (manager), Coach Devlin.

Basketball

By THOMAS MALLOY

The St. John's basketball team of 1951 proved no weak link in the chain of championship teams sent out from the Temple Street court. Compiling a season's record of twenty-one victories and one defeat, the hardwood Pioneers once more ruled supreme as city hoop champs and Central Massachusetts Catholic League Leaders. In post-season play the Redmen fought their way into the semi-finals of the Western Massachusetts Tourney at Springfield only to be tipped by the ultimate title winner, a spirited Springfield Tech team. The climax of the season saw S. J. once more on top, beating arch-rival St. Peter's in an unprecedented play-off for the Central Massachusetts Catholic League crown.

Co-captaining this fine team were ace rebounder, Dan McCarthy and top man among scorers, Jim Courville. Along with these two, Stubbs Kasper, Binnie O'Leary and Bobby Case rounded out the first five. On the bench were such standouts as Bobby Cabana, Johnny Moynihan, Bob Pickett, Bill Mackie, Dick McGrath, Jack Foley, Don Fanion and Frank Foley.

In a tune-up game the Pioneers gave a hint of what was to come as they downed the Alumni 77-52 in a contest which saw six players go for double figures. The first game of the regular season was a tough one as St. John's beat a fighting Classical five 43-39. Behind at the half 25-26, the Temple Streeters went all out in a game that had the score tied eight times and the lead change hands another six. Dan McCarthy starred off the boards for the winners. Jim Courville showed the way in the next victory with fifteen points as the Pioneers downed Mission High of Rox-

bury 55-32. After a slow start the S. J. juggernaut got up full steam and behind the smooth floorwork of Courville, Kasper and Case, the Redmen hung a 75-52 defeat on Commerce High. Scoring thirty points in the initial period St. John's was led by Jim Courville's twenty-two, followed by Kasper and Case with fourteen apiece.

Winter vacation was now on hand and with it a three day trip to the western part of the state to play Adams High in Holyoke. At Adams twenty-five points fell through the hoops in the second period to set up a 55-51 victory for the visiting Pioneers. Co-captains Courville and McCarthy led the attack with eighteen apiece. Down seven points at the half the next night at Holyoke St. John's was sparked in a last period rally by Billy Kasper to come out on top by a 53-43 count.

In one of the best fought and most hectic games of the early season the Pioneers tipped their past season's nemesis, South High, 45-38, as Jimmy Courville hooped sixteen followed by Deacon Dan's fifteen and Stubbs Kasper's nine. Next came St. Stephen's and once more championship form blossomed forth. Playing a great defensive game the Redmen took the Stevedores 51-26. Reserve Johnny Moynihan hit for thirteen points to follow Jim Courville's fourteen for game honors. As the season progressed St. John's was once again called on to come from behind, and down five points, with less than two minutes remaining, they tumbled Trade High 43-39 at the Wheaton Square gym. Binnie O'Leary teamed with Jim Courville to pull this one out of the fire. Hitting on all fours S. J. ran away from St. Bernard's of Fitchburg as Tiny Cabana hit for fourteen in racing Jim Courville, Bill Mackie, Dan McCarthy, and Bob Pickett for game honors.

At the auditorium St. Peter's kept it close for the first period then fell off the pace as St. John's took an easy one 47-32 from their Main South rivals. Jim Courville led all scorers with fourteen and Dan McCarthy showed his worth off the boards. St. Mary's fell next as Case, Mackie, Courville, Pickett, Kasper, and Moynihan all hit high totals in an 80-55

routing. With Dan McCarthy ruling the boards, Commerce High again lost 63-32 as Jim Courville led all scorers with fourteen points. Behind Jim Courville and Bill Mackie the Pioneers outscored Trade High 24-7 in the last period to take the stubborn Mechanics 60-40 in a closely fought contest during which the board work of Dan McCarthy once again paid off in points.

Gaining momentum with each win the S. J. machine then took Classical 73-44, led by Jim Courville's twenty-two points. Assumption put up a great fight in the first quarter before faltering 53-38, Courville's points and McCarthy's boardwork again being the winning combination. St. Stephen's jumped to an early lead, ran it up to 11, 19-8, and kept 26-21 at the half, before Binnie O'Leary put on his best performance of the year to guide the Red and White charges to a 71-53 triumph. Assumption fell to the Temple Streeters for the second time, after a rugged battle, 43-39. In a rip roaring, wide open

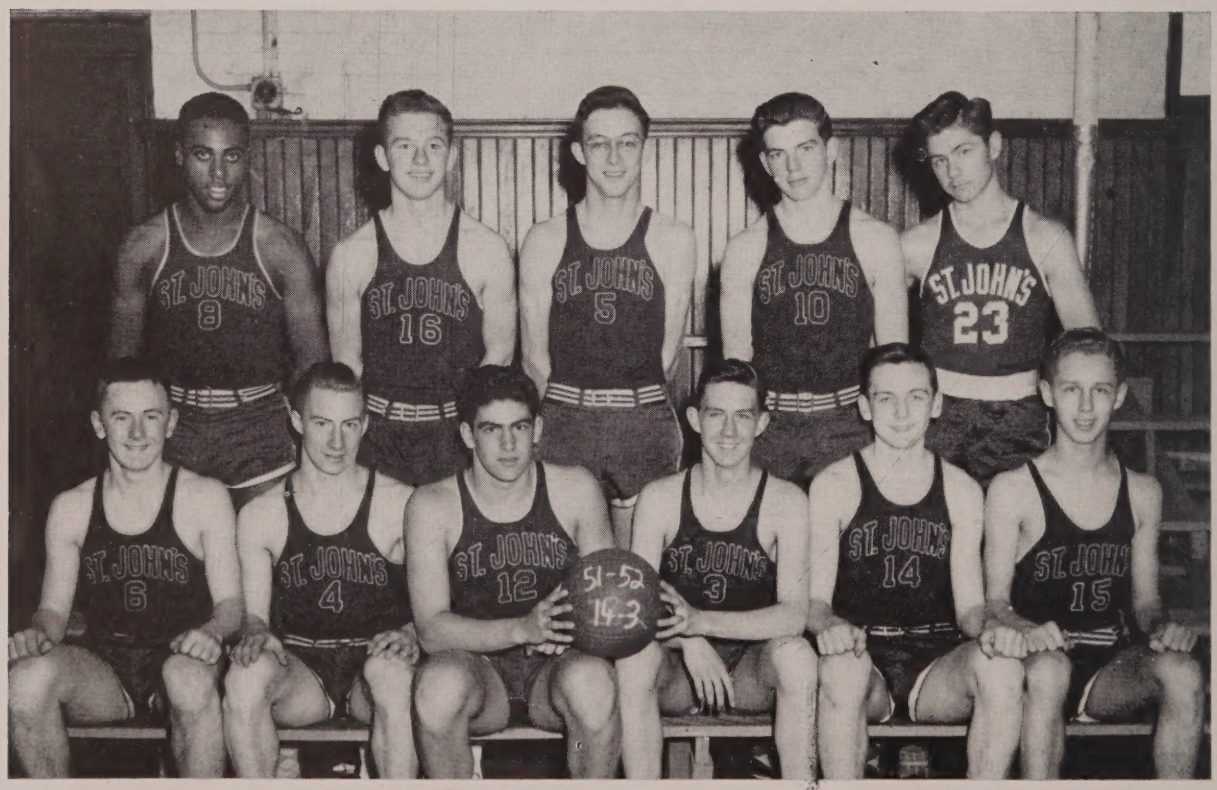
game S. J. shaded South for its eighteenth straight of the current season, 64-57. Jim Courville and Johnny Moynihan played great clutch ball to pull this one through.

On February 22 at South gym Dame Fortune turned her back on the boys from St. John's as they went down before a spirited crew from St. Peter's, 41-39. A thriller all the way, the score tied eleven times and the lead changing hands another five, it wasn't decided until the last two seconds. The Red and White went down fighting, led as always by its two great co-captains Jim Courville and Dan McCarthy.

Finishing the season S. J. took two quick ones to get back on the victory trail. Mission High of Roxbury fell 67-54 as Jim Courville hit for twenty-one and St. Mary's was taken 65-43 while the Pioneers got ready to defend their Western Massachusetts title.

It was the first week in March and St. John's defeated Greenfield High, 50-43, in the first round of the Western Massachusetts Basketball Tournament at Springfield. Playing poorly for most of the night, the Red and White finally came through with a good finish to wrap up the game. Stubbs Kasper was the mainstay of the team as he hooped twelve followed closely by O'Leary and McCarthy. Springfield Tech stopped the Pioneers in the semi-finals, 41-36. Stubbs Kasper was again high man as the Red and White fought uphill all the way in a losing cause. In the consolation tilt the Worcester boys dumped South Hadley 60-42 as Jim Courville, Dan McCarthy, and Binnie O'Leary all hit double figures.

In an unprecedented affair, St. John's met St. Peter's in a playoff for the Central Massachusetts Catholic League crown at the Auditorium. After a tight first half the Pioneers of old came out from under cover and ripped the game wide open in the third period. At the final whistle the score read St. John's 51, St. Peter's 33. Jim Courville scored fourteen and Stubbs Kasper twelve in this, their last game. Dan McCarthy bowed out of high school ball with a brilliant boards performance.



J. V. BASKETBALL TEAM

Seated, left to right: J. Durkin, R. Wickham, J. Morrone, R. Keleher, R. Quinlivan, R. Duprey.
Second row: W. Spence, P. Danilowicz, F. Geiger, W. Higgins, D. Akerson.

Last Whistle

Co-Captain Dan McCarthy—By far the best boardsman in the city, Deacon has been invaluable as the big man in the Pioneer line-up. Dan finishes his third year of varsity ball and leaves a big hole that will be hard to fill.

Co-Captain Jim Courville — Top scorer in the city, Jim collected 323 points in twenty-two contests. His keen shooting eye and defensive wizardry have won many a ball game in the last three years. Here is another big hole that will need some filling.

Billy Kasper — Classy floor play and an accurate set shot were Stubbs' contribution to the 1951-'52 champs as this little playmaker always came up with a little something extra when the chips were down and the team in a hole.

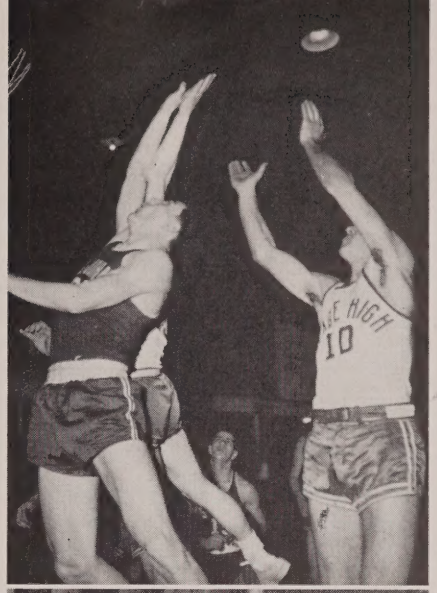
Binnie O'Leary — The opposition gathered more than one grey hair in trying to keep track of Binnie's weird collection of odd scoring shots as he hooped up two pointers from most anywhere on the court. He also did his share of work off the boards.

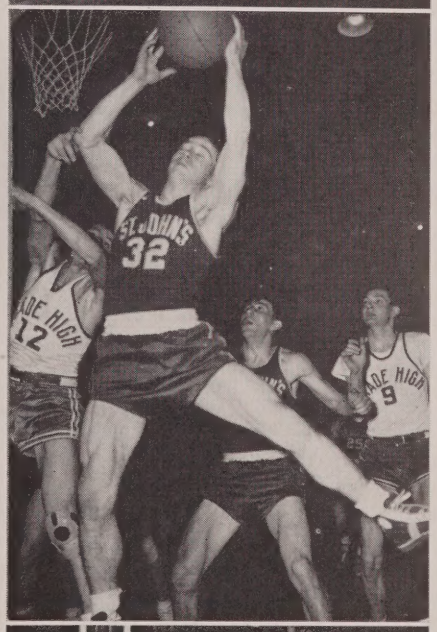
Bobby Case — The little man on the team made himself felt with his driving lay-ups and defensive alertness. Rabbit always seemed to come through when most needed, and despite his lack in height he could play ball with the best of them.

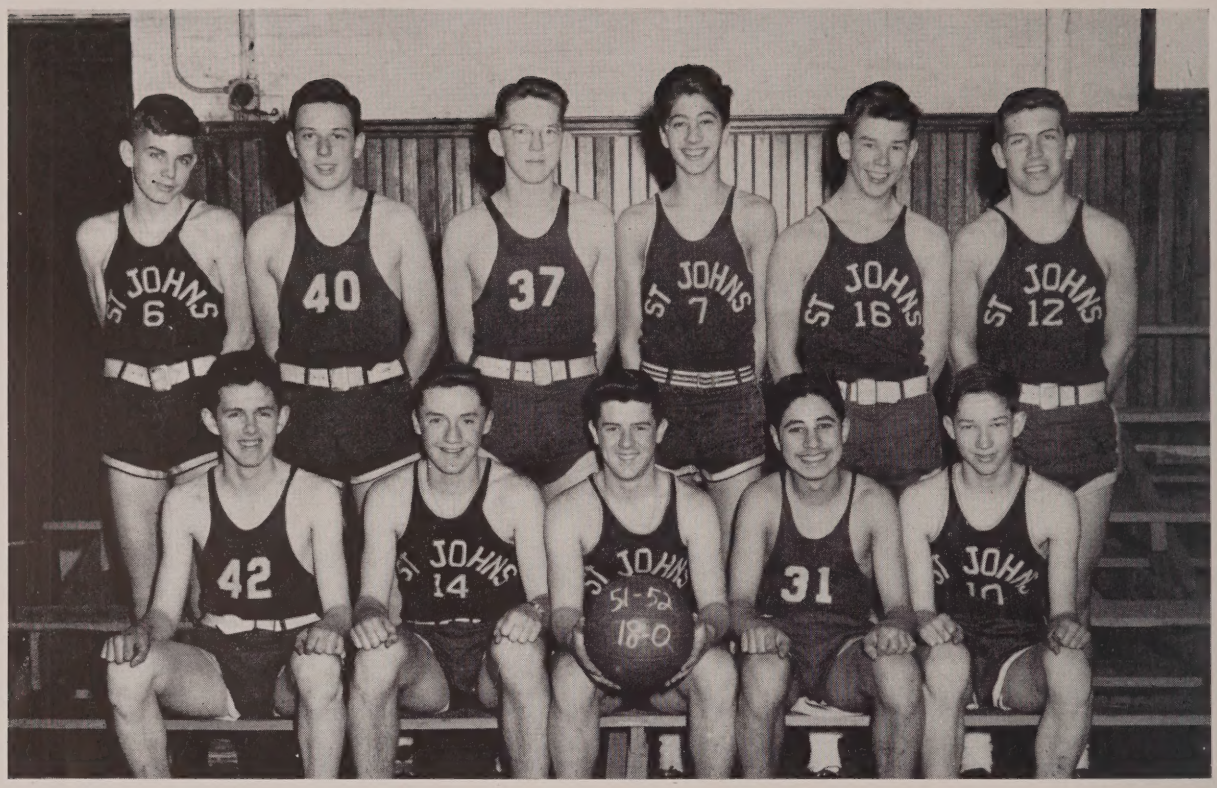
Johnny Moynihan — One of the top men on the bench. John saw quite a bit of action as he rested the tiring first stringers. Quick to take advantage of the slightest flaw in the opposition he did some fine shooting for the Red and White this season.

Bobby Cabana — For his size Tiny is probably the most aggressive player in the city. Blessed with an uncanny eye there were few games in which Bob played that didn't see him throwing his share of two pointers during the game.

Bob Pickett — In two years on the varsity Bob was ever ready to do his bit in winning the ball games. When called upon to do so, he hit with consistency and his height came to great advantage when a good boardsman was needed.







FRESHMAN BASKETBALL TEAM

Seated, left to right: F. Savage, J. Walsh, J. Dorsey, G. Lapriore, R. Sullivan.
Second Row: B. McGrath, J. Canavan, E. Foley, P. Laconfora, P. Brissette, W. Tattan.

Coming Up

Although slightly overshadowed by the all conquering Varsity our J. V. team enjoyed a successful season. Under the able coaching of Brother Alfred, they racked up a season's record of 14 wins and but 3 setbacks.

Using a fast break pattern, their speed and accuracy often built up a quick lead which usually left the opposing team far behind.

The starting five of this aggressive squad was composed of Morrone at the pivot, Duprey and Quinlivan at guards, and Kelleher and Wickham in the forward posts. This group supplied the initial punch but they were helped greatly as the game progressed by a strong bench behind them. Any one of the positions could be ably filled by such agile performers as Spence, Akerson, Higgins, Lane, Durkin, Danilowicz, Corsac, and Geiger.

Future Champs

Scoring the truly amazing total of 1047 points in its unbeaten string of eighteen victories, the Fighting Frosh led the way among the city's ninth graders. Height, coupled with speed and drive, was just too much for the opposition.

The starting five for the "Mighty Mites" included: southpaw Pete Laconfora and Playmaker Barry McGrath at the guard posts, Jim Canavan at center, Ed Foley and Bill Tatten at the forward positions.

Moving in to alternate were: Dick Sullivan, Bud Lapriore, Jim Dorsey, Rene Brissette, Tom Mooney, Joe Walsh and Frank Savage . . . all capable reserves. Tatten with 210 points led the scoring parade, followed by Laconfora with 190. The team average was 58.3.

Baseball

Front Row: Jim Courville, Bob Cabana, Dan McCarthy, Bill Kasper, Bob Case, Bud Paciello.
Middle Row: Chick Wickham, Jim Lavin, Bill Mackie, Bill Kennedy, Jack Lusignan.
Top Row: Bud Geiger, Don Akerson, Pete Laconfora, Joe Morrone, Will Spence.

Baseball

By MICHAEL MOYNIHAN

In horse racing, only those affiliated with the sport and those who have an addiction to gambling are familiar with every phase of the season's running. But even the least interested sportsman can tell you about the Triple Crown and I wager that any reader remembers what race horse recently won this title, which is awarded to the horse who wins the Kentucky Derby, Preakness and the Belmont Sweepstakes in one season. For the information of all of those to whom I lose the bet, the horse was Citation. You are probably wondering why I am discussing the ponies in a baseball write-up. Assuming that you are, I shall explain:

St. John's entered the baseball season adorned with two mythical crowns, namely the City Championships in both football and basketball. If the school could capture the City Championship in baseball it would be, as Citation was, the winner of a triple crown. The fact that the achievement of this goal would set a precedent in local athletic annals made its possible accomplishment even more enticing. Thus you can see that this season had a singular importance to all loyal St. John's men.

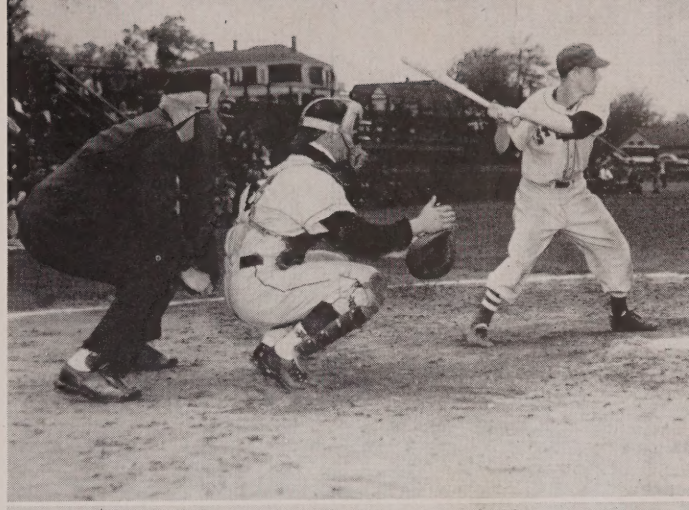
Many veterans of last year's City Championship nine were on the field at the first practice session. Glancing about

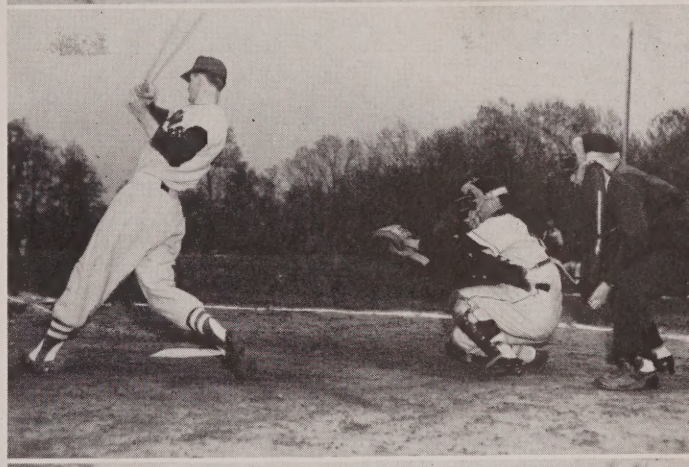
the Oval that day, one saw third baseman Dan McCarthy, shortstop Billy Kasper, second baseman Tiny Cabana, outfielders Jimmy Courville and Bobby Case, and pitcher Buddy Paciello, all seasoned performers. New members to the squad were Bill Mackie, Jim Lavin, Bill Kennedy, Joe Morrone, Chick Wickham and Will Spence. With this formidable array, the outlook was very bright.

The team opened its season on a sky-high note of defeating St. Mary's of Milford 4-0. Bill Mackie, the lanky newcomer to the line-up started his pitching career for the school by pitching a no-hitter. Co-Captains Dan McCarthy and Stubbs Kasper turned in a wonderful game, garnering five of St. John's nine hits between them. But as the saying goes, "We're just built up for a let-down," and that is just what happened. Four days later, the mighty Caseys in red stormed up to the plate . . . and struck out. This melancholy occurrence took place at the Oval against Assumption with slow-baller Norm Gaudreault on the mound for the Greyhounds. The final tally on this rainy day was 10-4 in favor of Assumption. Oh! There was no joy in Mudville that night.

But as May gains revenge on November, the Pioneers had their revenge on the Greyhounds. The tilt took place a few days later on the Assumption campus and our host, eager to please, submitted to utter extirpation, bowing to the intruding visitors 31-4. St. John's scored fifteen runs in one inning, the fourth. Bill Mackie turned in a superb job on the mound and Stubbs Kasper blasted out a three-run home, a triple and a single to be the winner's big gun on the offense. In our next game we must admit that St. Peter's was gallant in defeat. We must say this because no team that opposes St. John's is so consistently courageous and so consistently in defeat. However the win was no romp with Jim Lavin pitching the Devlinmen to a 9-5 victory.

Having suppressed a ninth inning surge by Classical, the boys went to the showers





Coach Devlin, shown with this year's co-captains Daniel McCarthy and William Kasper

with their fourth win neatly tucked under their belt. Clubbing two Bengal pitchers for seventeen bingles, the Redmen won 16-9. Lavin, Kennedy, Case and Courville each banged out three hits, one of them a 325-foot homer by Courville. The vanquished Bengal was placed in the trophy room of Jim Lavin. The next game was a torrid pitching duel between Will Mackie and Trade's Don Bagdonovich. Between the two of them thirty men were struck out. Bullet Bill also put on a scintillating exhibition at the plate, walloping a long triple. The final score was St. John's 3, Trade 0.

Our team next vied with St. Stephen's and had quite a time of it. At the end of the regulation nine innings, the score was deadlocked 4-4. However, in the tenth, Joe Marrone scored Kasper on a long, looping fly to the outfield. Freshman Willy Spence started the game but was later relieved by Bill Mackie. Bill continued on his merry way a few days later when he turned in a six hitter against Trade. At the outset it looked as though the fans were in for another sizzling mound duel and for a few innings they did receive such a treat. Unfortunately, the Mechanics pitcher, Don Bagdonovich, twisted his ankle when he blocked the plate as McCarthy tried for a score. When the umpire called the last man out the score stood for the record, 4-2.

Willy Spence proved himself to be an able animal trainer when he baffled the Tiger from Classical and allowed him only two hits and no earned runs. While the Classicalites fanned, blooped and grounded out the Pioneers exploded with thirteen safe smashes. Leading the attack were Courville, Kasper, McCarthy and Marrone. Poor Classical left the field a vanquished gladiator, the score being 11-2. The ninth victory of the season for the team and the second for Jim Lavin was registered against St. Mary's. Lavin and Kasper were the sparklers at the plate, each banging out a triple and a single. The Pioneers heaped up fifteen runs while St. Mary's could not score one.

After Bill Mackie handed the Mercurymen from Commerce a 7-2 lacing in a very routine tilt at the Athletic Field, we entered into a key game of the season, namely the game with St. Stephen's. Although every tilt is a key game, this one derived its singular importance because its win would insure at least a tie for the City Championship. The team took the field in the midst of a mild shower which made the ground damp and slippery. Stubbs Kasper opened up the third inning with a soaring triple but unfortunately met an untimely death there when the third man was called out. In the

The boys on the bench watch a ball soar skyward from the bat of a teammate

eighth inning St. John's was two runs behind. In this inning Jimmy Courville was destined to assume the role of hero. He drove in the tieing run and scored the tally which gave St. John's the win in this stanza.

This article must go to press before the season has been completed. Since I have no soothsaying ability to speak of, I do not believe that I would be right in saying that St. John's finished the year as City Champions. But no doubt when you read this article the crown will have been given to St. John's and St. John's will be the first school in the history of Worcester sports to have accomplished such a feat.

Let us thank all those who helped to make the season so successful, either following the team or playing on it.

Last Whistle

Co-Capt. Dan McCarthy . . . The Deac has been a starter on the St. John's nine for his four years at the school. He proved himself to be the most versatile ballplayer in these parts by playing every position on the team at one time or another. His powerful batting and faultless fielding won him a position on the All-City team for three years. Quite a record.

Jimmy Courville . . . Jimmy also played varsity ball for four years. Being a southpaw he played a terrific game at first base. However, when he was called upon to fill in an empty position in the outfield he displayed his talent of being versatile and played just as well in the pastures. Capable of hitting a long ball, he pulled several games which seemed to be lost out of the fire. The fact that he made All-City honors for two years is proof enough of his contribution to St. John's baseball.

Co-Capt. Stubbs Kasper . . . Billy came to us from St. Stephen's in his sophomore year as a highly touted ball player. He lived up to his heraldry in magnificent style. Playing shortstop for the team for three years he was superb in all phases of the job. Many a game was won because of his bat or his scintillating defensive playing. He was awarded All-City honors for two years.

Anthony Paciello . . . Buddy played for the array during his three years at St. John's. He could easily be called the hard luck player of the team for his was the unfortunate lot to come to St. John's at the same time as Leo Brosnan. Because of this he saw little action during his first two years in the line-up. His most cherished accomplishment was a superb job turned in against our arch-rivals, St. Peter's, in his senior year. St. John's won, of course.

Bobby Case . . . Bobby is better known as "Rabbit" to his friends. If you ever had the pleasure of watching him patrol center field during his three years as a Pioneer ball player you would easily see how he came about this name. Racing from one end of the field to the other, he snagged flies that seemed to be hopelessly lost in the stratosphere. He could always be counted on for a bingle or two each game, also.

Bobby Cabana . . . He was small, like the wick of a stick of dynamite, and carried the same presentiment. For he was the team lead-off man and could be readily counted on to touch off the explosion of hits that ended up in a high scoring inning. Tiny played for the team for two years and was a second baseman.

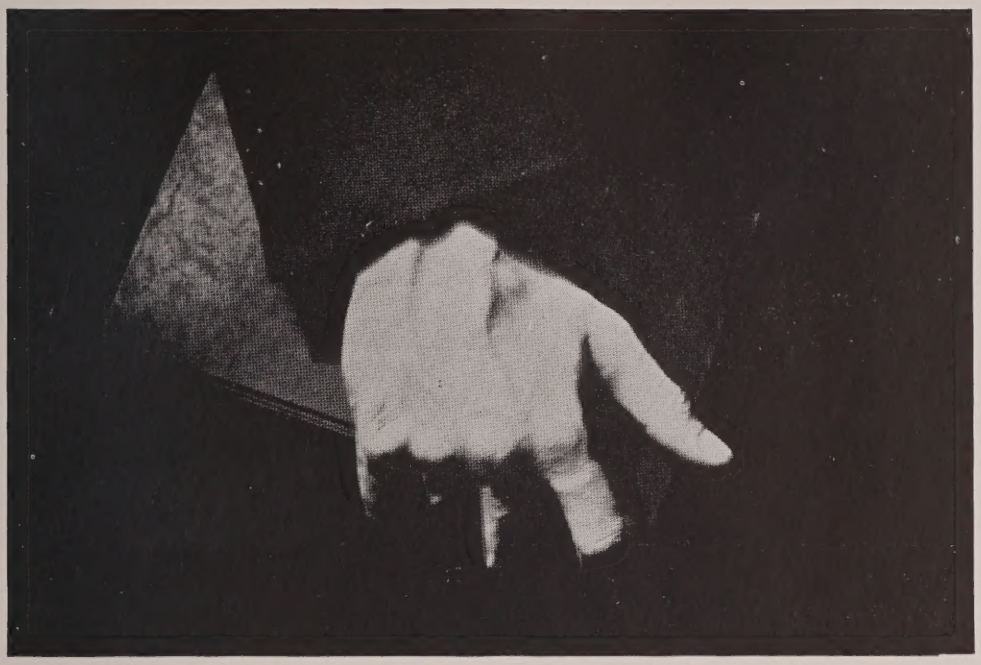
Co-Captain McCarthy lets one go by in the Trade game

Pioneers True

Since the purpose of this publication is to record all important incidents and personages connected with the class of 1952, we feel duty bound to mention the two men whose pictures you see above. The figure on the left is none other than Red Brosnahan, probably the most ardent follower of St. John's athletics that St. John's ever had. "Carrots" graduated from this institution of learning in 1948. During his high school career he was varsity manager for four years and supplied the athletes with the necessary services in great style. Joe was unable to stay away after his graduation and has been connected with the manager's room ever since. A true Pioneer!

The other man is our beloved "Lefty" Wilson. The recording of his memoirs would be a more arduous task than that of Winston Churchill. For a quarter of a century "Lefty" has held the official position of caretaker of the Oval. He knew that field when it was the classiest of all local ball parks. Through his untiring efforts it still remains a beautiful field. But the upkeep of the field is just one of his many undertakings, for there is not a growing boy in the neighborhood of the Oval who has not received valuable advice in the playing of baseball from "Lefty," who was quite a pitcher in his day. He still dons a glove and pitches in pick-up games with the boys. He has become as necessary to St. John's teams as anything else you may think of. The Oval without "Lefty" would be like apple pie without ice cream.

The picture was taken in Lefty's little refreshment stand where the spectators are treated with home-made lemonade, candy, pop corn, chewing gum, soft drinks, another service rendered by St. John's own father time. We of the class of 1952 wish to express our deep appreciation to these two wonderful people for their unselfish devotion to the welfare of the school.



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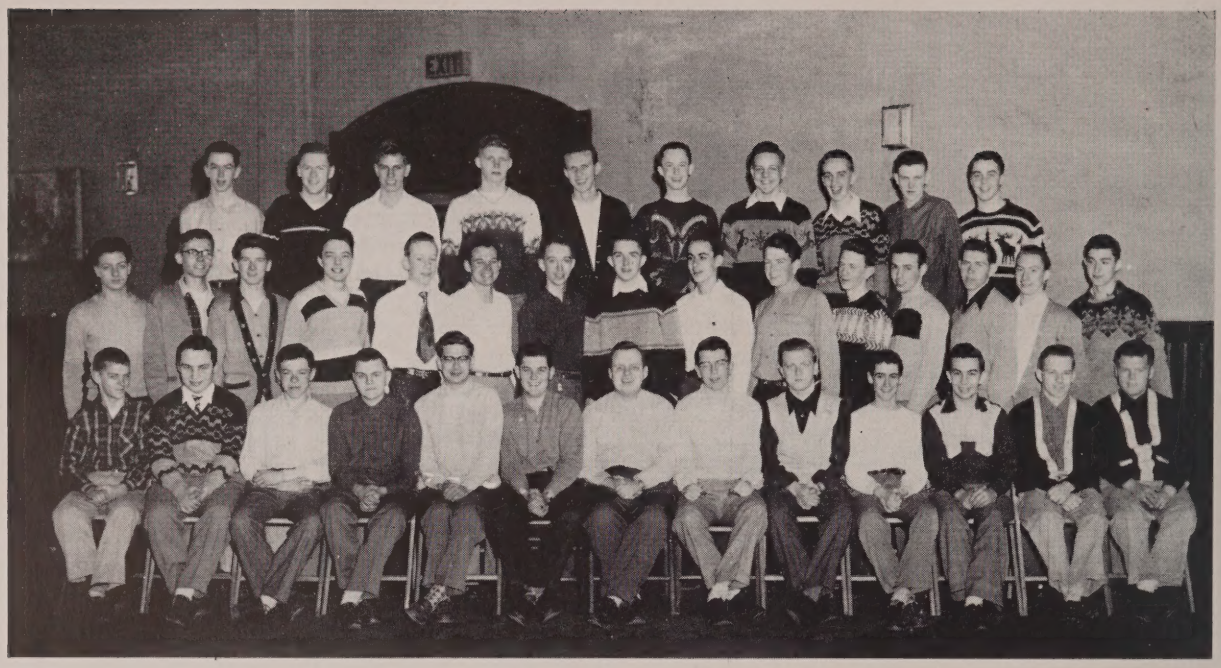

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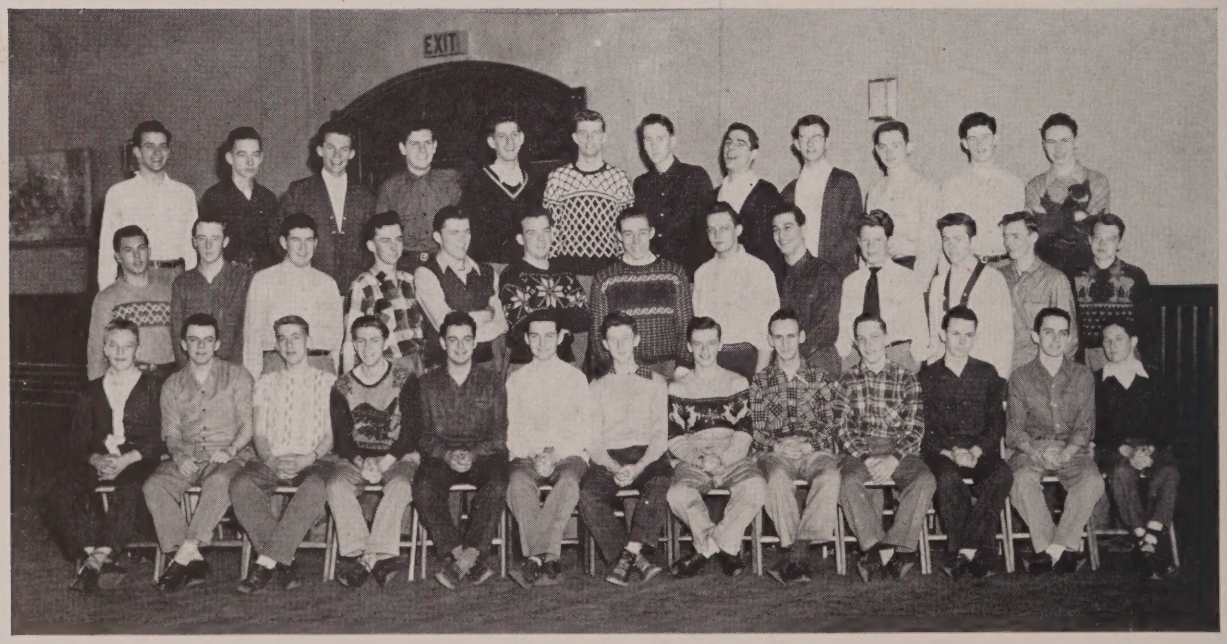

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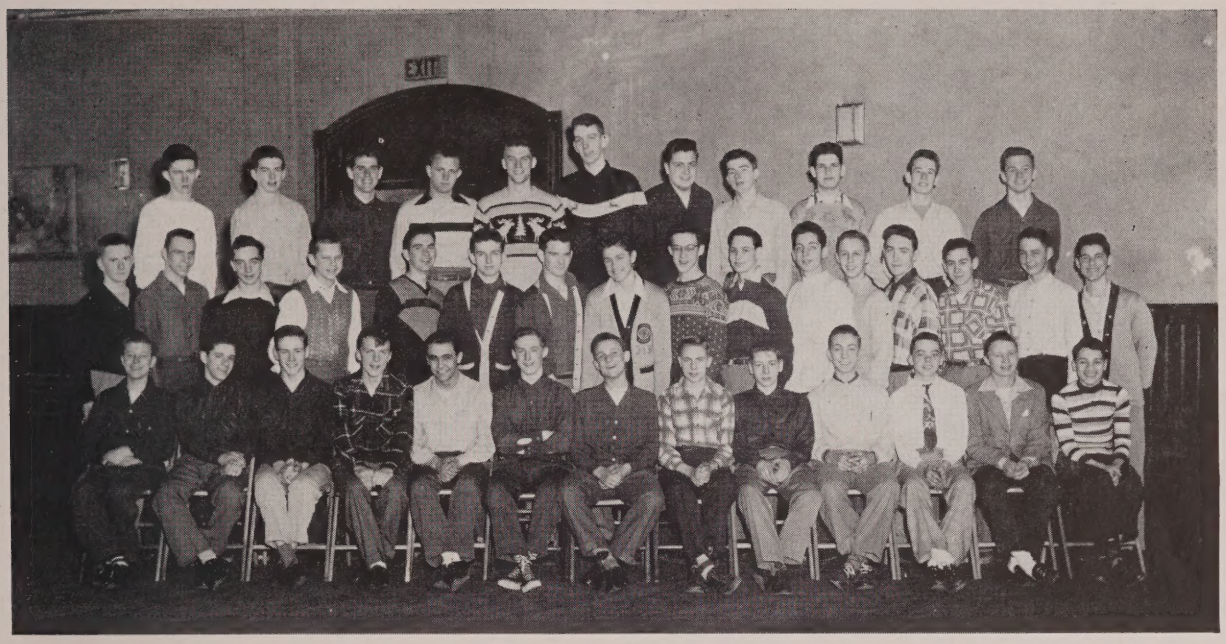

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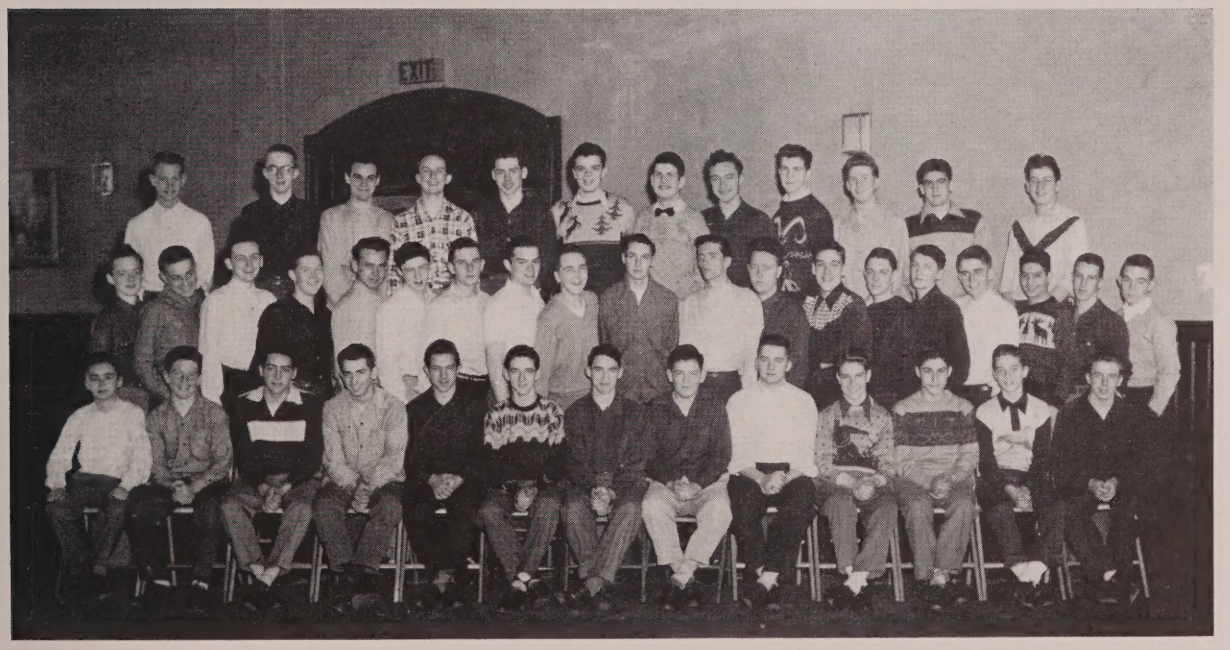

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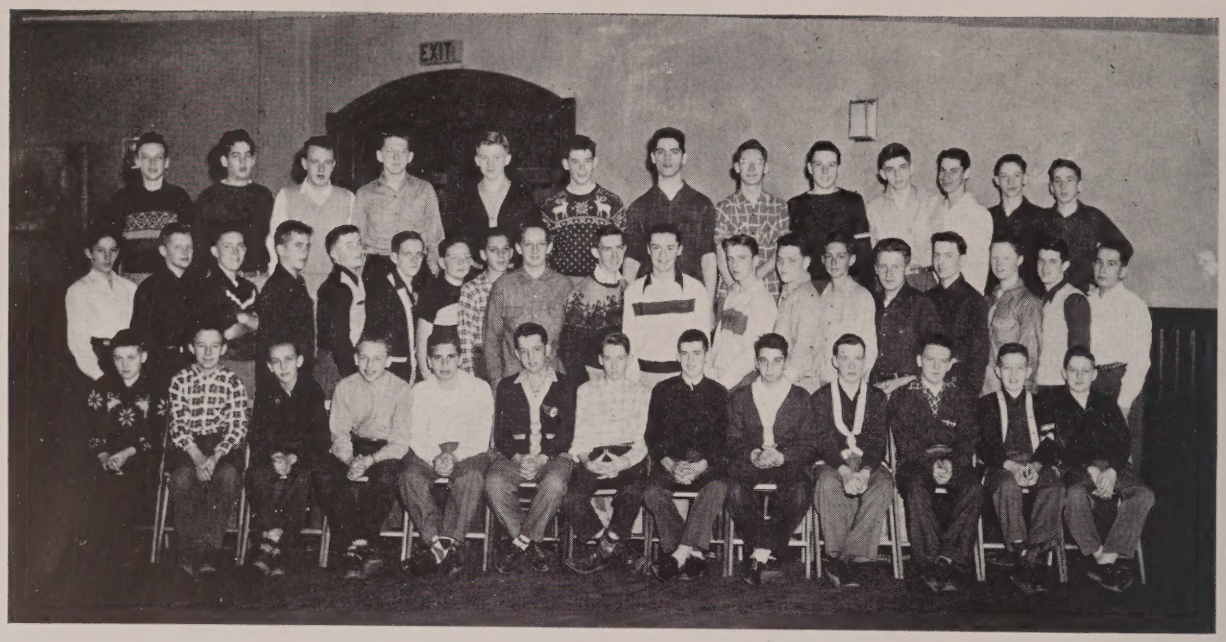

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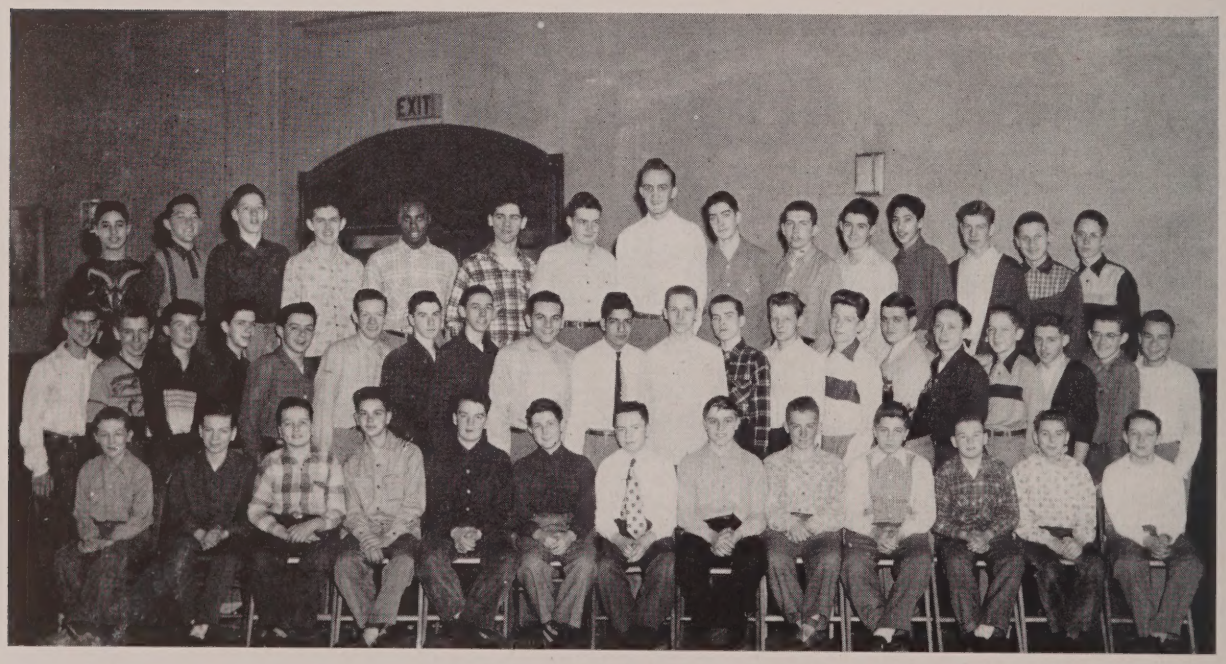

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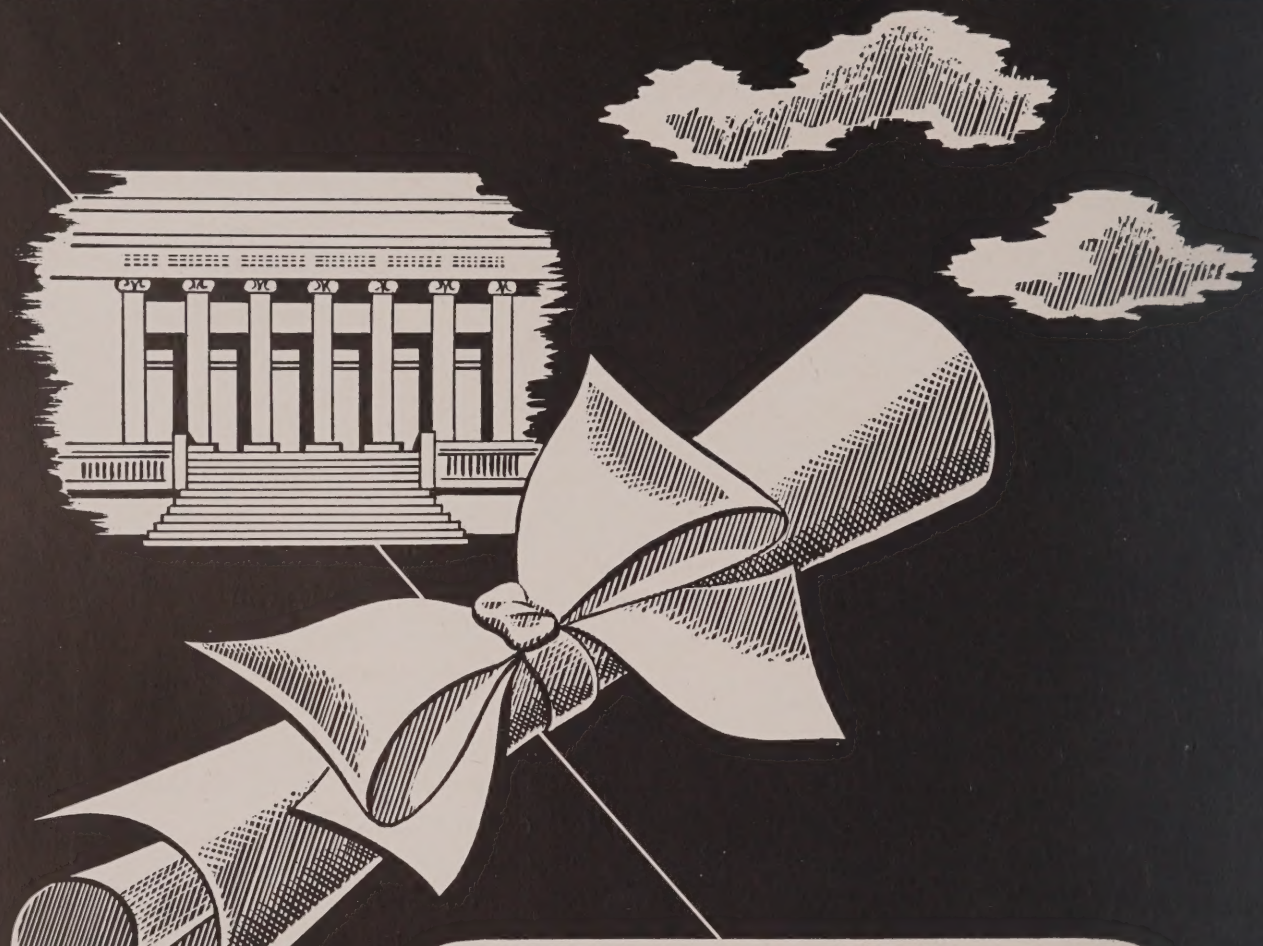

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